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$81,000.00 TRIMMED FROM LEE CO. TAX BY BOARD

PRESENT PATROL SYSTEM IS KEPT BY SUPERVISORS

Board Retains System By Vote of 12 to 11 Yesterday.

The fate of the Lee county road patrol system hung in the balance for a period of a little more than an hour yesterday afternoon, during which time Chairman Joseph Bauer of the road and bridge committee of the Board of Supervisors and Supervisor Charles Bradshaw engaged in a wordy conflict of figures and facts. When the arguments had ceased and a roll call vote was taken, the report of the road and bridge committee submitted at the morning session, providing for the reinstatement of the system was carried by a vote, 12 to 11. Members of the board voting against the reinstatement of the road patrol system were: Supervisors Richolson, Yenerich, Burhenn, Bradshaw, Trostle, Long, Avery, Glessner Brucker, Henry and Eide.

When the board reconvened at 1:30, Chairman Bauer of the road and bridge committee withdrew that part of his report to the board which provided for a tax levy of 25 cents. Supervisor Bradshaw of Brooklyn township led the fight against the road patrol system as it has been carried out and opened the discussion.

"Committee Laid Down."

"The road and bridge committee has laid down on the job. They were instructed by this board at the June meeting to bring in a report devising some scheme for handling the road proposition with less expense. They have failed to do this. The taxpayers in my township are objecting to the system as it is too expensive. From figures that I have gathered I find that the road and bridge committee has outstanding debts to the amount of approximately $6,000, a scarifying project costing $1,200 and contracts for bridges to be built approximating $7,000.

"There is $26,000 left over for next year, and $19,000 more can be turned over, making a total of $45,000 practically for use next year. In 1921 a total of $19,194.33 was spent in this work. To August 1 an estimated sum of $59,627.72 will have been expended this year with $20,188 for the purchase of machinery. I am now informed that the road and bridge committee wants $20,000 more for machinery next year, a gravel pit and a stone crusher. These, no doubt will be needed if this report is adopted. These last mentioned will take over approximately $35,000 for road work. The burden is too much for the taxpayers as the levy for this amount is tremendous. I have received numerous letters from taxpayers who object to the system, one of these from one of the biggest taxpayers in the county.'

Bauer Defends Committee.

In answer to this Chairman Bauer fired the opening gun of his argument by stating that the road and bridge committee had not laid down on the job as charged by Supervisor Bradshaw.

"Your committee was asked to prepare new plans for the carrying on of this work and did not," answered the representative from Brooklyn township.

"When at the June meeting the board asked the committee to draft a new plan, I put the matter up to the three new members of the road and bridge committee. They have been busy with their work and have given excuses for not turning in this report. Yesterday, the committee as a whole gathered and drafted the report which I have submitted to the board. In the first place I want it understood that the committee is not using all of this money for patrol work but is constructing new roads along with the other work. For the five months of the 1922 season we have expended $15,800.53 for patrol of county roads. We are caring for practically three-fifths of the roads of the county. We have graded 38 miles of road and up until Sept. 1, paid out for operation, $39,936.24. We expect to build new bridges and culverts at an expenditure of $5,000. Other bridges which will not be rebuilt but repaired will necessitate the expenditure of $2,000. The estimated bills for September will total, $5,000; for October, $4,000; for November, $2,000, and for December, $1000. This makes a total of $66,136.24 for the nine months of operation. We have $71,391.50 for the 1922 tax levy and the valuation this year will be lower. The present system is all right.

Asks Co-operation.

"Last June when members of the board sought to dissolve the patrol system, the patrolman became discouraged and thought that they had no jobs. This has not had a good effect on the work. I believe that if this board would get together and work shoulder to shoulder with the road and bridge committee instead of trying to block the work, that the system can be carried out satisfactorily to all parties and that the taxpayers will be satisfied."

In voting on the measure Supervisor

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Soldiers' Compensation Is Doomed?

GRAND JURORS.

Through an error in last evening's issue of the Evening Telegraph, it was stated that the grand jury would report for service Tuesday afternoon. This is an error as the inquisitorial body will convene for the September term on Monday afternoon.

NEW ORLEANS IS SCENE OF COSTLY FIRE LAST NIGHT

$6,000,000 Damage is Estimated; Report Five Met Death.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

New Orleans La. Sept. 16.—It was estimated early today that the loss from the fire which raged along the water front for three hours last night destroying the long stretch of wharves of the United States government, commodity warehouse and vast quantities of army ordnance and commercial commodities would reach between five and six million dollars.

Reports late last night that five lives were lost during the progress of the conflagration had not been confirmed early today. Members of the crew of the German freight steamer Elsa Hugo Stinnes declared that a sailor on that vessel was burned to death on the wharf when he ated to death on the warf when he attempted to board the ship, and that another sailor who jumped overboard was cut to pieces by the ship's propellor. Another report made to the police was that three members of the crew of the steamship Florence Luckenback had jumped overboard and were thought to have been drowned.

Band Concert This Eve at Franklin Gr.

The following program will be played by the Franklin Grove band, under the direction of Joe Glavin of this city, at 8 o'clock this evening on the streets of that village:

March, Chimes of Liberty, Goldman.
Like a Flower So Fair, Watson.
Overture, Sunshine, Jewell.
Fox Trot, Stories, Powers.
Waltzes, Eleanor, Huff.
March, Winning Colors, Wells.
Fox Trot, Martha, Wells.
Waltz, Three O'clock in the Morning, Robledo.
Fox Trot, Virginia Blues, Meinken.
Selection, The Sunny South, Lampe.

Tariff Bill Goes to Senate Today

Washington Sept. 16.—Finally approved by the house, 210 to 90, the administration tariff bill became again today the unfinished business of the senate. Republican leaders expected final legislative action—senate adoption of the conference report—before the end of next week.

Debate in the senate was expected to consume several days, with a few opposition speeches from the republican as well as the democratic side.

Atty. Warner Goes North for Vacation

Attorney A. C. Warner will leave tonight for North Dakota and Minnesota where he will look after his land interests there and incidentally to enjoy a vacation. He has two sons in that country and he will enjoy a visit with them. Mr. Warner will be away from Dixon for about two weeks.

WEATHER

SATURDAY, SEPT. 16, 1922.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Chicago and Vicinity:—Fair tonight and Sunday; not much change in temperature; moderate north and northeast winds.

Illinois, Indiana and Missouri:—Cloudy to partly cloudy tonight and Sunday; not much change in temperature.

Wisconsin:—Fair and continued cool tonight and Sunday; probably frost in north and central portions tonight.

Iowa:—Generally fair tonight and Sunday; continued cool.

FORECAST FOR NEXT WEEK.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Washington, Sept. 16. — Weather outlook for the week beginning Monday:

Region of the Great Lakes:—Generally fair and cool, local frosts first part of the week.

Upper Mississippi and Lower Missouri Valley:—Generally fair, cool first part of the week and normal temperature thereafter.

SMYRNA HORROR WORSE THAN AT FIRST REPORTED

25,000 Christian Women and Girls Given to Turks.

BULLETIN.

London, Sept. 16.—"Twenty-five thousand Christian women and girls have been conveyed to the interior and distributed among the Turkish soldiers," says a dispatch to the Times from M. LasCaris, editor of Kosmos, a Smyrna newspaper, who has arrived on the Island of Mitylene.

TURKS REJOICING.

Constantinople, Sept. 16.—(By the Associated Press.)—Renewed celebrations were held throughout Asia Minor yesterday to mark the sweeping Turkish victory over the Greeks. Friday is the Turkish Sunday, and the entire Moslem population ceased its wonted pursuits and repaired to the mosques to offer prayers of thanksgiving to Allah.

For the first time since 1453, when the Turks captured Constantinople, the Sultan went to the tomb of Mohammed the Conqueror in Stamboul and paid homage to the memory of his illustrious predecessor.

CITY IS RUINED.

London, Sept. 16.—(By the Associated Press.)—Succeeding dispatches from Constantinople, Athens and other centers of information in the Near East only tend to magnify the tale of the tragedy in Smyrna.

The greater part of the city is in ruins, laid waste by a conflagration of incendiary origin, and the flames, according to latest account, had reached the water front, where the quays were crowded with fear-crazed Christian refugees who fled to the city as the nearest port of escape from the Turks.

Many have thrown themselves into the water rathe rthan run the risk of being burned alive or facing Mustapha Kemal Pasha's soldiery, drunk with victory and fired with religious fanaticism.

Horrors Are Reported.

Others have not had the chance to choose, according to dispatches from Greek sources which tell of horrible torture sand mutiliations, and wholesale executions. Large numbers of Greek soldiers have been decapitated, they say, and others forced into sacks and thrown into the sea. Allegations of having served in the Greek army bring deatn to the Armenians, and women and children are being put to the sword.

Estimates of the number killed vary greatly, and the latest Athens dispatch quotes an American relief worker as declaring that up to Thursday morning there had been 120,000 victims. It is thought this figure may include the wounded, also, as previous reports placed the number of dead at from 1,000 to 2,000.

Landward from the city it is reported that all the villages are burning, and that the whole countryside has been devastated.

Meanwhile the Turkish forces in the north have continued their advance, and almost simultaneously with the news of their capture of Panderma, on the Sea of Marmoa, comes the announcement that the British fleet in the Dardanelles has been ordered to prevent any attempt to cross the straits, and that no ships shall be allowed to concentrate for the purpose of transferring troops in a movement toward Thrace.

Jugo Slavia and Rumania also are watching any move in this direction, as they are opposed to the Turks again securing a foothold in Europe. While the Turks do not possess a navy, they control a swarm of light vessels, and have a call upon some larger ships in the Black Sea.

The Turks are not without support in their European ambitions. The Russo-Angora treaty is understood to bind the Russians to cooperate with Mustapha Kemal in the capture of the Dardanelles in return for the freedom of the Black Sea, and the Moscow government is reported to have prepared for action all its forces in the Caucasian republics, and to be holding its Black Sea fleet in readiness. Russians born in 1901, hitherto exempt from service, have been called to the colors.

The British government is especially concerned over the neutrality of Constantinople and the straits, and it is reported that the French and Italian troops are also under orders to increase their vigilance in the neutral zone, and that some have already been landed at points hitherto unoccupied.

NOW COMES THE FOOTBALL SEASON

BRUCKER PLANS TO QUIT OFFICE OF SUPERVISOR

Sublette Man to Move to Franklin Gr. Farm Soon.

William Brucker, supervisor from Sublette township, is reported to be considering retirement from active life and resigning his office on the county board. When questioned yesterday afternoon, Mr. Brucker did not deny that he intended taking such action, and admitted that he would move from his farm south of Sublette in a few days to another farm located south of Franklin Grove.

Supervisor Brucker has served his township faithfully for a period of ten consecutive years during which time he has never been opposed for office. He has been honored by being elected to the chairmanship of the board and has also been appointed on many of the board's committees. He is at present chairman of the county home committee and is a valued member of many others. At the time he was elected to the board there were but two of the present members sitting with him, these being W. J. Edwards of Amboy and Joseph Bauer of Hamilton. Mr. Brucker states that contemplates retiring from farming and politics and with his wife will move to their farm near Franklin Grove to spend the remainder of their days.

Enginemen Injured in Boiler's Blast

Muscatine, Iowa, Sept. 16.—An explosion of a boiler on a Rock Island freight engine near West Liberty yesterday dangerously scalded Fireman E. C. Bryandt and Engineer O. E. Cress. The latter is reported in a serious condition. Both men are from Cedar Rapids, to which city they were taken after the accident.

Railroad officials are investigating the cause of the explosion.

Army Dirigible is Moored at Scott Fld.

Belleville, Ill., Sept. 16.—(By the Associated Press.)—The army dirigible C-2, on its way from coast to coast, was moored at Scott Field, the government flying field near here today, drawing thousands of curious spectators not only from this city, but from St. Louis, East St. Louis and many surrounding cities. The blimp arrived here last night at 9:30 o'clock and despite the extreme darkness, had no difficulty in making the landing, it was reported at the flying field today.

DO YOU KNOW?

Do you know that Lee County ranks high as a producing community? To the average citizen driving in the country, the raising of corn seems to the main work of the farmers. Yet this territory is a very strong dairy center, and a glance at the following data compiled by the Farm Bureau will show considerable diversified farming in Lee County.

Approximate land area of Lee County, 474,880 acres. Value of all farm property, $114,197,350.

Total value of live stock	$7,104,857.00
Poultry	334,622.00
Bees	7,787.00
Dairy products	1,111,160.00
Eggs and chickens	705,863.00
Honey	4,510.00
Wool	29,202.00
Cereals	11,495,014.00
Other grains and feed	259,327.00
Hay and forage	2,043,583.00
Vegetables	240,133.00
Fruit and nuts	60,154.00
Other crops	706.00

Haymarket Cases Form Basis Trials of Herrin Massacre

Marion Ill. Sept 16.—(By The Associated Press.)—The prosecution in the Herrin mine killing trials will follow the procedure of the Chicago Haymarket Trials, it was indicated today when attorneys began familiarizing themselves with the 122nd volume of the Illinois Supreme Court decisions. Attorneys for the state, it was learned, will base their case on the contention that those who incited to riot are equally as guilty as those who actually fired the fatal bullets which took 22 lives on June 21 and 22 last in the vicinity of the Lester strip mine, near Herrin. The 26 prisoners held in the county jail on indictments for murder issued by the grand jury are being kept at the expense of the union miners, it was learned today.

Former Dixonite, Playwright, Will Visit Here Soon

Harold A. Pitzele, formerly of Dixon, playwright and author, passed through this city yesterday en route to his home in Los Angeles, accompanied by his wife and daughter Mercedes, aged 12. Mr. Pitzele writes under the name "Fred C. Jackson" and he will pay his Dixon friends a visit when his story "The Last Hole" is shown here next month.

JANUARY GRAND JURORS PICKED BY SUPERVISORS

Men Who Will Inquire Into Criminal Matters Selected.

Grand jurors for the January term of the Lee county circuit court were selected yesterday by the supervisors as follows:

Alto—Lars L. Prestergard.
Amboy—John Harris.
Ashton—Roland M. Moore.
Bradford—Adam Wendel.
Brooklyn—John M. Banks.
China—Orville O. Miller.
Dixon — Arthur Handell, Frank Pratt.
East Grove—Frank Norden.
Hamilton—Warren E. Sanders.
Harmon—Peter Fitzsimmons.
Lee Center—William Natress.
Marion—Henry Rankin.
May—George Quest.
Nachusa—Roy Crawford.
Nelson—John T. Emmitt.
Palmyra—E. H. Klosterman.
Reynolds—Charles Kurth.
South Dixon—Humphrey Scott.
Sublette—Bertram Sibigtroth.
Viola—Oscar Iken.
Willow Creek—Sjur M. Maakestad.
Wyoming—Robert L. Tarr.

Kiwanis Club to Hear Chicago Man

Louis Wallis of Chicago will address the Dixon Kiwanis club at their regular meeting next Tuesday upon the subject, "A Square Deal for Business." His talk shows in a very interesting way the relation between various questions now uppermost, including taxation, buying power of the people, city folks and farmers, capital and labor, and the danger of working class bolshevism.

Each Kiwanian will be expected to bring a friend who is not a member of the organization to hear this remarkable address. Luncheon will be served in the parlors of St. Luke's church at 12:15, the address to follow a short business session.

Speeders' Court Continues Work

The speeder's court is still grinding out justice to those who fail to abide by the state automobile laws, the result of the motorcycle deputy's activities. Four offenders have been arraigned, three on charges of driving without tail lights and one for speeding. Mrs. Mabel Holahan, William Ryan and S. A. Stromme paid $5 and costs for not having tail lights fined. Herman Trippler of Chicago was assessed $10 and costs for speeding.

BONUS BILL IS NOW IN HANDS OF PRES. HARDING

Whether Executive Expects to Veto It is Not Known.

BULLETIN.

Washington, Sept. 16.—(By the Associated Press.)—President Harding has definitely decided to veto the soldier bonus bill and will send his message to the house Tuesday, according to some of his close advisers who have talked with him recently.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Washington, Sept. 16.—The soldiers' bonus bill, in congress in one form or another for three years, finally was today before President Harding.

The President's attitude toward it still was the one big question in the minds of both friends and foes. And it was one to which they expected an answer early next week.

In the usual course the first action of the executive would be to refer the measure to the Treasury department for an opinion. Secretary Mellon's attitude is well known. He has opposed such legislation largely on the ground that the federal treasury was in no condition to stand further drains upon it.

Should Mr. Harding send the bonus back to congress an effort would be made to override his veto, according to those who have had charge of it in the house and senate. Supporters believed far more than the necessary two-thirds majority in the house could be obtained, but they were not so certain about the senate.

If the issue comes in that body, the outcome may hinge on the number of senators absent from Washington. While the conference report was adopted yesterday by a two-thirds majority, 36 to 17, it required only one senator to pair one senator against, whereas in the vote to override it would require two senators to pair one opponent.

FRED LAWTON, PALMYRA, DIED DURING NIGHT

Embolism, Following Fracture of Leg, Probable Cause.

Fred Lawton, one of Palmyra township's best known farmers, born and raised in that township, passed away suddenly at 1 o'clock this morning while talking to his wife. It is presumed his death was caused by an embolism, the result of a fracture of his leg last Sunday. The attending physician holds the belief that a clot of blood gathered in the fractured member, made its way to the heart and brought death.

Last Sunday, in attempting to fix a leaky pipe under a wash bowl, Mr. Lawton slipped on the wet floor and the fractured leg resulted. Since that time he had been confined to his bed. This morning, while he was talking to his wife, the Grim Reaper suddenly took him.

Funeral services will be held at the Sugar Grove church Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. A. S. Moore, pastor of the Dixon Methodist church officiating. Burial will be at the Sugar Grove cemetery.

A complete obituary will be published later.

Woman Indicted for Killing Her Rival

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Harrisburg Ills Sept 16.—Mrs. Joe Lashley has been indicted by the grand jury, it was learned today, on the charge that she murdered Mrs. George Watkins who was shot and killed on September 5th in front of her home here. Mrs. Lashley was arrested several blocks from the Watkins home and, according to the authorities, had a revolver concealed in a paper sack. She denied that she shot Mrs. Watkins. She now refuses to discuss the killing.

Mrs. Lashley and her husband had been separated three months. According to the police Mrs. Lashley was said to have blamed Mrs. Watkins for the separation.

Stolen Car Found By Joliet Police

The police department this morning received word from the Joliet police that the Ford coupe belonging to Ivar Jones, which was stolen from the streets of this city last Sunday evening, had been found in Joliet.

SUFFERED STROKE

The condition of Mrs. N. A. Cortright, 215 E. Fellows street, who suffered a stroke Thursday morning, is reported to be critical today.

LEVY IS FIXED AT $139,800.00 BY SUPERVISORS

No Salaries Cut But Expenses Are Trimmed in Estimate.

The board of supervisors reconvened at 4 o'clock Friday afternoon and such business as remained to be transacted was hurried through and the September session closed. The report of the finance committee was the outstanding feature of the closing session and while it was believed that a fight might start when the appropriations for the coming year were read, there was but one voice of discontent, this being Chairman Bauer of the road and bridge committee. He objected to the reduction in approproation for the conduct of the road patrol system, but was satisfied to accept the appropriation provided the board had no objection.

The report provided for a total tax levy of $139,800 for the coming year. The feature of the whole report was the figures which showed that a reduction in the tax levy amounting to $81,000 had been made without cutting salaries of any of the county officers as has been done in some of the adjoining counties. The report of the finance committee was unanimously adopted.

Finance Report.

"Your committee to whom was referred the matter of ascertaining the amount of money required to pay the expenses of said county for the ensuing year, having had the same under consideration, beg leave to report that there should be levied the following sums of money for the purpose mentioned below

Supplies, stationery and printing for county offices	$10,000.00
Expenses of Lee Co. Home	10,000.00
Taking care of the poor of the county	10,000.00
Building bridges on county boundaries, etc.	7,000.00
Relief of blind of Lee Co.	3,000.00
Payment of jurors fees	6,000.00
Payment of court reporter's fees	1,800.00
Payment of foreign witness fees	400.00
Payment of wolf bounty orders	100.00
Fuel for court house	2,300.00
Fuel for county jail	700.00
Fuel for county home	1,500.00
Light for court house, jail and county home	1,500.00
Repairs, labor, materials, supplies and furnishings for court house and county jail	7,000.00
Salary, superintendent of highways, per annum	2,500.00
Salary ,state's attorney, per annum	2,100.00
Salary, county judge, per annum	2,000.00
Salary, janitor of court house, per annum	1,680.00
Salary, truant officer and assistant superintendent of schools, per annum	1,200.00
Salary, probation officer, per annum	300.00
Salary, county coroner	500.00
Payment of fees, issuing birth and death certificates	300.00
Board of review services and expenses	1,350.00
Expense for care of dependants, Mother's Pension act)	6,000.00
Bailff services	2,500.00
Expense of holding elections	6,000.00
Per diem and committee services, board of supervisors	5,000.00
Board and care of dependent children	1,500.00
Sheriffs services, cooking, preparing and serving meals to prisoners for ensuing year	800.00
Provisions for board of pjrisoners for year	1,200.00
Services of court reporters for state's attorney and coroner in criminal cases	300.00
Payment of justices and constables fees in criminal cases	600.00
Maintainance of macadam and gravel state aid roads	800.00
Physicians services on inquisitions cases on order of county judge	200.00
Sraveling expenses, county truant officer	100.00
Telephone rental, service of county offices	600.00
Building new barns at county home	6,000.00
Tuberculosis sanittarium fund	20,000.00
SCounty highway tax for state aid road purpose	15,000.00
Total	$139,830.00

"Your committee would therefore recommend that the sum of one hundred thirty-ine thousand, eight hundred thirty and no hundredths dollars, ($139,830.00) being the aggregate of the above items, belevied on all real, personal, railroad, telegraph and telephone property in said county assessed for the year 1922 and that the

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Today's Market Report

(By Associated Press Leased Wire.)

Liberty Bond Close

By Associated Press Leased Wire

New York, Sept. 16:—Liberty bond close:

3½s 101.25.
First 4s 100.70.
First 4¼s 100.58.
Second 4¼s 100.14.
Third 4¼s 100.32.
Fourth 4¼s 100.54.
Victory 4¾s uncalled 100.76.
Called 100.32.

Chicago Produce

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Chicago, Sept. 16.—Butter higher; creamery extras 38½; firsts 31½@33; extra firsts 34½@37; seconds 29½@30½; standards 36.

Eggs unchanged; receipts 9478 cases.

Poultry alive, unsettled; fowls 16@24½; springs 24½; roosters 14.

Potatoes steady; receipts 26 cars; total U. S. shipments 852; Minnesota sacked round whites 1.40@1.50 cwt; Minnesota sacked sand land Ohios 1.10@1.25 cwt; Minnesota sacked Red River Ohios 1.40 cwt; Wisconsin sacked round whites 1.50@1.65. cwt.

Chicago Livestock

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Chicago, Sept. 16.—Cattle receipts 1000; compared with week ago better grades beef steers and yearlings 35 to 50c higher; lower grades and westerns strong to 25c higher; extreme top beef steers 11.55; fat cows mostly 25 ot 50c higher; some medium to good heifers 75 to $1 higher; canners and cutters largely 25c higher; bulls 50 to 60c higher; veal calves mostly 75c higher; heavy vealers gaining less stockers and feeders largely 25c higher; week's bulk prices native beef steers 8.85@10.80; stockers and feeders 5.50@7.50; beef cows and heifers 4.75@7.50; canners and cutters 3.00@4.75; desirable veal calves 12.75@13.25.

Hogs receipts 5000; active; light and butchers strong to 10c higher; bulk 180 to 230 pound averages 9.85@10.00; bulk 240 to 325 pound butchers 9.00@9.75. bulk packing sows 7.50@9.15; pigs steady around 9.00; heavy 8.60@9.50; medium 9.40@10.00; light 9.70@10.00; light lights 9.35@9.80; packing sows smooth 7.35@8.25; packing sows rough 7.10@7.65; killing pigs 8.35@9.25.

Sheep receipts 500; compared week ago fat lambs $1@1.25 higher; yearling and heavy sheep 75 to $1 higher; light and medium weight sheep 25 to 50c higher; feeding lambs 50@75c higher; closing top lambs 14.00; bulk around 13.75; native culls mostly 9.50; fat heavy ewes largely 4.00@4.74; best handy weight quoted to 7.00; feeding lambs largely 13.00@13.50.

Weekly Grain Review

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Chicago, Sept. 16. —War clouds in Europe have brought about a rally in wheat prices this week after a decline due largely to the strike settlement effected on many railroads. Compared with a week ago, wheat this morning ranged from 1 cent lower to a like advance, corn was ½c off to ⅜c up, oats a shade down to a gain of 2 cents and provisions varying from 7c decline to an advance of 22c.

Possibilities of a clash between some of the big European countries were responsible for the importance attached to war talk so far as the wheat trade was directly interested. Chances of such a clash were generally held to be remote, but the outlook was deemed serious enough to evoke close watch, especially in connection with current gossip that all United States hard winter wheat Chicago houses owned at the seaboard or on the Great Lakes had just been purchased for shipment to Europe.

Lowest prices of the season were reached in the wheat market before the course of values was reversed by notice of war news. December wheat falling $1.00 a bushel. Renewal of more normal conditions on the railroads was expected to increase the movement of grain, and this prospect of enlarged supplies was emphasized by official estimates that the yield of wheat in Canada would be 388,783,000 bushels, the heaviest amount since 1915.

Corn and oats fluctuated in line wih wheat. The only exception was a jump in the price of oats for September delivery. Spreading operations between Sept. and Dec. had much to do with the rise of September.

Continued advance of hog values made the provision market average higher.

Chicago Cash Grain

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Chicago, Sept. 16.—Wheat No. 2 hard 1.04@1.05; No. 5 hard 1.01¾; No. 2 yellow hard 1.04.

Corn: No. 1 mixed 63¾; No. 2 mixed 63¾@64; No. 3 mixed 62¼; No. 4 mixed ½0¼; No. 1 yellow 64: No. 2 yellow 64@¼; No. 3 yellow 62½; No. 4 yellow 60¼@½; No. 5 yellow 69@½; No. 6 yellow 58¼@½; No. 2 white 64@¼; No. 3 white 62½; No. 4 white 60@'; sample grade 55@58.

Oats: No. 1 white 40; No. 2 white 38¾@49¼; No. 3 white 37¾@38½; No. 4 white 37¼.

Rye No. 2, 73½
Barley 57@62.
Timothy seed 4.25@5.25.
Clover seed 13.00@16.50.
Pork nominal.
Lard 10.47.
Ribs 9.75@10.75.

Chicago Grain Table

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	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—				
Sept	1.01⅝	1.02⅜	1.01¼	1.01⅝
Dec.	1.01¾	1.02⅜	1.01½	1.01⅝
May	1.06⅞	1.07⅛	1.06	1.06
CORN—				
Sept.	62⅜	62½	62	62¼
Dec.	57¼	57½	57	57⅜
May	60¾ ¼	60⅞	60½	60¾
OATS—				
Sept.	37½	37½	37¼	37⅜
Dec.	35½	35¾	35⅜	35⅝
May	38⅛	38⅛	37⅞	38
LARD—				
Oct.	10.50	10.50	10.45	10.45
Jan.				9.00
RIBS—				
Sept.				9.90
Oct.				9.90

Wall Street Close

By Associated Press Leased Wire

American Can 61⅞
American Car & Foundry 188
American Locomotive 123⅝
American Smelting & Refg 64
American Sugar 82¼
American T & T 124
American Woolen 99¾
Anaconda Copper 54⅜
Atchison 107
Alt., Gulf & W. Indies 32 Bid
Baldwin Locomotive 135⅝
Baltimore & Ohio 57⅜
Bethlehem Steel B 77⅜
Central Leather 42⅞
Chandler Motors 62½
Chesapeake & Ohio 75½
C., M. & St. P. 34
Rock Island 48½
C. & N. W. 94
Corn Products 116½
Crucible Steel 93⅜
Famous Players-Lasky 100¾
General Asphalt 64¾
General Motors 14⅝
I. C. 114¾
Int. Mer. Marine pfd 59
Kelly-Springfield Tire 43½
Mexican Petroleum 196⅜
Midvale Steel 34¼
N. Y. Central 99¼
Northern Pacific 88½
Pan American Petroleum 80⅝
Pennsylvania 49
Peoples Gas 97
Pure Oil 32⅝
Reading 80
Rep. Iron & Steel 70
Royal Dutch, N. Y. 5y⅞
Sinclair Oil 34½
Southern Pacific 94½
Standard Oil of N. J. 187
Studebaker Corporation 130
Texas Co. 47⅞
Tobacco Products 87⅜
Union Pacific 153
U. S. Rubber 53⅜
U. S. Steel 104⅞
Utah Copper 69
Willys Overland 7⅜

East St. Louis Horses

By Associated Press Leased Wire

East St. Louis, Ill.—Horses: Good tl choice draft $135@$170; good eastern chunks $80@$15; choice southern horses $50@$70.

Mules: 16 to 17 hands $175@$250; 15.1 to 16½ hands $150@225; 14 to 15 hands $60@$90.

Local Markets

GRAIN

Corn	52½
Oats	28

PRODUCE

Butter	34
Eggs	28

SEPTEMBER MILK PRICE

From September 1 until further notice the Borden Co. will pay for milk received, $1.90, 4 per cent basis direct ratio.

Master Vernon Speilman who has been in a Chicago hospital under the care of a specialist for past eleven weeks, has returned home and his many friends will be glad to know he is rapidly gaining in health and strength and will be able to attend school in a few days

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

ATTENTION
ALL CLASSIFIED ADS MUST BE BE ACCOMPANIED BY THE MONEY. THERE ARE NO EXCEPTIONS TO THIS RULE. tf

FOR SALE—Bread case 26x32, two doors, also Moline Universal tractor with tandem disc, 2 bottom plows and binder hitch, complete. Used but one season. Bargain if taken at once. Call phone X805. 218t3

FOR SALE—A Bonny Oak heating stove No. 217 and oil heater. Inquire at 414 Highland Ave. 218t3*

FOR RENT—Three good dairy farms one of 400 acres; one of 240 acres, and one of 120 acres. For particulars write Box 184, Dixon, Ill. 218t3

FOR SALE—Fox terrier puppies. 804 N. Jefferson Ave. Tel. R1185. t1

FOR SALE—Hard coal stove, almost new. Call at 610 W. Third St. Tel. K506. 218t3*

FOR SALE—New fur scarf, large brown genuine Australian fox, animal style. Cheap. 91½ Galena Ave. 218t3*

FOR SALE—Bargains. 1922 Dort touring car, good as new, fully equipped; 1 Ford coupe, 1921 model; Baby Overland sedan newly painted. All in A-1 condition. Call at the Velie Garage, 213 West Second Street. 218t3

FOR SALE — Two story, 8-room dwelling, bath, furnace, electric lights, gas, cistern, city water, laundry and large light basement. Garage. Lot 100x150. One block from car line. House newly painted, in good condition. Price $4250.00. Reasonable terms. Raymond & Der Kinderen. Phone 193. 218t3

WANTED — To buy 5 or 6 room house. Can pay $500.00 or $600.00 cash; $20.00 to $30.00 per month. Call at 413 Lincoln Way. t1

WANTED — To buy lot. Will pay cash. Must be close to school. Call at 413 Lincoln Way. t1

FOR SALE—Northern Illinois dairy farm 150 acres slightly rolling clay loam, 7-room modern house, furnace, running water, large up to date barn, silo, hog pen, chicken house, etc., orchard, possession this fall if desired. $37,500. Half cash, balance mortgage, owner. Address J. F. W. care Telegraph. 218t6*

CHARGE ATTEMPT TO BRIBE AIDE; GUARD EVIDENCE

Cook Co. Prosecutor Charges Meddling in His Office.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Chicago, Sept. 16.—Record of pending criminal cases were closely guarded in State's Attorney Crowe's office today, following disclosure of a $2,000 bribe which the State's Attorney said had been offered to one of his assistants for evidence against William Henry Harrison Miller, former member of Governor Small's cabinet, who is under indictment charged with trafficking in physicians' licenses when he was director of the state Department of Registration and Education. Miller was ousted recently by Governor Small who demanded the accused director's resignation.

When he received information of the alleged bribe Mr. Crowe ordered a hasty examination of all records, which he said were found intact.

The case will open for trial soon, State's Attorney Growe said.

HEAVY FINES IN GALESBURG RAIL STRIKE TRIALS

Victims of Assaults Are Given Parts of the Fines.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Peoria, Ill., Sept. 15.—Fines aggregating $3700 and varied prison sentences were ordered by Judge Louis Fitzhenry in Galesburg rail strike cases heard yesterday.

Roy Adams charged with aiding in assaulting, intimidating, and attempted kidnaping of two employes of the C. B. & Q. was fined $1500 and costs, and sentenced to six months imprisonment in the McLean county jail. One-third of the fine is to be paid to Emil G. Sachey and one-third to Eric A. Johnson, the complainants, the judge anounced.

Amil Lundgreen, who pleaded guilty to a similar offense was fined $1000 and sentenced to four months imprisonment. J. L. Bloomquist, the kidnapped man was awarded $500 of the money which Lundgreen was fined.

Oscar Danielson, also alleged to have been involved in the Galesburg trouble was fined $1200 and sentenced to six months in the McLean county jail. Verdicts of guilty were returned late Thursday evening.

Society

DIXON PEOPLE DROVE TO APPLETON, WIS.—

Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Palmer and daughter, Dorothy, accompanied by Miss Lucile Ralph of this city, drove to Appleton, Wis., a few days ago and greatly enjoyed the visit to that beautiful little city. Miss Palmer entered Lawrence College at Appleton. Miss Ralph who is a teacher in the North Side school, is a graduate from Lawrence College.

Local Briefs

W. S. Verity of Boston, Mass., vice president of the Fleischmann Yeast company was in Dixon a short time Friday afternoon calling on relatives.

—Business Cards, engraved or letter heads, bill heads or anything in the printing line.
B. F SHAW PTG. CO.

Mrs. Elizabeth Barge Martin will return to Chicago Sunday.

—We do all kinds of Job Work—printed. Come in and see our samples. B. F. Shaw Ptg. Co. tf

Marcus Beal, son William and wife of Rock Island have returned home after a visit at the John E. Moyer home.

—You do not realize the comfort to be derived from Healo, absolutely the test foot powder on the market.

Mrs. Eva C. Kline of South Bend Ind., is visiting at the home of her brother, John E. Moyer, for several days.

Ford Closes Plants as Protest on Boost in Cost of His Fuel

Detroit Sept. 16.—(By The Associated Press)—As a protest against paying what he believes exorbitant prices for coal and steel, Henry Ford today began the process of closing up his huge industries.

With the suspension complete when the last shift of workers leaves the various factories tonight, approximately 100,000 men will have been rendered idle for an indefinite period. The plants affected include the five factories in the Detroit area, and numerous assembling stations throughout the country. Other concerns, the output of which goes chiefly to the Ford company, also are expected to suspend operations.

Kansas City Auto Race is Postponed

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Kansas City, Mo., Sept. 16.—The Kansas City automobile speed classic has been postponed until tomorrow afternoon according to speedway officials. Threatening weather was given as the reason.

MOOSE SMOKER

Next Tuesday night at the club rooms for members. Each Moose can bring a friend 218t2

SIXTEEN RAILROADS HAVE SIGNED PEACE PACT WITH STRIKERS

Bomb with Sputtering Fuse Found Under Gasoline Car.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Bloomington Ill., Sept. 16.—What is declared to have been a bomb with a sputtering fuse attached was found under a tank car of gasoline near the Chicago & Alton round house here, it was reported here today. Twenty men were working at the round house at the time. Detectives employed by the railroad are making an investigation.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Chicago, Sept. 16.—Sixteen railroads had signed separate agreements with various labor unions today through pre-war methods in vogue before the United States Railroad Labor Board was created as arbiter of disputes between railways and their employes.

These settlements, however, according to Ben W. Hooper, chairman of the board, do not repudiate the board but rather are "entirely in accordance with the transportation act" when the disputes were withdrawn from the jurisdiction of the board, the government tribunal believed that negotiations for settlements independent of the board, would be successful, Mr. Hooper said.

His comment referred to yesterday's agreement between the New York Central Lines and the train service brotherhoods, and other pending peace negotiations.

Open New Negotiations

Following settlements with the order of railway conductors and the brotherhool of railway trainmen, the New York Central Lines opened negotiations today with the shop crafts for ending the shopmen's strike on the basis of the Warfield-Willard-Jewell plan. Separate agreements with the engineers', firemen's and switchmen's unions were in prospect, according to officials.

The Pensylvania system was party to similar negotiations with rail unios at Cleveland and Pittsburgh.

Among the larger roads which have signed agreements with the striking shop crafts were the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul; the Chicago & Northwestern and the Baltimore & Ohio.

Bert M. Jewell, head of the shop crafts organization, said he did not plan at this time to go east for conferences with rail heads who said their negotiations were unaffected by terms consummated in Chicago this week.

Government Rests Case

Today brought a lull in the government's injunction proceedings before Judge James H. Wilkerson. Attorney General Daugherty and his aides rested their case on the strength of 600 affidavits supporting charges of violence, intimation and destruction of property and attorneys for Bert M. Jewell, chief executive, and John Scott, secretary of the railway employes' department of the American Federation of Labor, will open the defense Monday, with four days for the defense and final argument before the existing restraining order expires.

Judge Wilkerson told the opposing lawyers that the restraining order will not be renewed when it expires September 21 unless the injunction hearing is completed then. In that case the unions would be free from its provisions.

MERGER OF BIG PACKING FIRMS RUMORED TODAY

Armour and Wilson to Combine Reported This Morning.

Chicago, Sept. 15.—In the absence of J. Ogden Armour, of Armour & Co. and Thomas E. Wilson, president of Wilson & Co., who were in the east, no official statement on published reports of a proposed meat packing merger was obtainable here today. Mr. Armour and Mr. Wilson went together to New York on Wednesday. Mr. Wilson, it was said here, was expected to be in Washington today.

Reports published here were that proposals had been made for a merger of Armour & Co., and Wilson & Co., possibly to include the Cudahy Packing Co., and Morris Company.

E. A. Cudahy, president of the Cudahy Company denied that company was interested in the merger proposal. "We are not interested in the proposed merger," Mr. Cudahy said. "We are not doing any negotiating."

Mr. Cudahy said he had no knowledge of what the other packing companies were doing.

Keller Declines to Present Evidence Against Daugherty

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Washington Sept 16.—Declination of Representative Keller, republican, Minnesota, to present evidence today in support of his impeachment charges against Attorney General Daugherty as the result of the rail strike injunction brought about an adjournment of the house judiciary committee after an hours session at which it heard Mr. Keller present a general preliminary statement.

REMODELING SHOP

Will be opened Monday, Sept. 18th, at 92 Galena Ave., over Kramer's store by Miss Rodesch, specializing in remodeling millinery and fur work. Prices will be reasonable. t1*

King Neptune Holds Court for Secretary Hughes at Equator

Neptune's Court in Session

New York During the recent trip to Rio de Janeiro Secretary of State Hughes was an interested witness to the sacred rites of Neptune's Court. The ceremony was held aboard the Steamship Pan America, one of the record-making vessels operated by the Munson Steamship Line between the United States and South American ports.

Advices just received from Rio state that Secretary Hughes was vastly amused at the Neptune ceremony, and takes great pride in the diploma granted him by Father Neptune.

The Neptune ceremony is held aboard all the vessels of the Munson Line and occurs at the Equator. The Neptune ceremony had its origin in the early days of shipping. When a vessel crossed the "Line" all the sailors who had never made the passage previously were summoned up for initiation. In the old days, after being sentenced by Father Neptune with punishment for having invaded his realm, the luckless candidate had a rope fastened about his waist and was tossed over the side of the ship to be hauled back again after he had been well submerged.

Nowadays the initiation is completed in the open air swimming tank, which is one of the features of the Munson Line fleet. The ceremony which Secretary Hughes witnessed, and which takes place on all crossings of the Equator, is elaborately staged and takes over several hours for its enactment. As the liner reaches the Equator word comes from the bridge that Father Neptune, King of the Seas, has been sighted. Presently the bewhiskered figure of Father Neptune, carrying a trident, clambors over the side. He is greeted by the Captain of the steamship in the presence of the assembled passengers and is presented with the key of the ship. Father Neptune then announces that he will convene Court within an hour.

After all is ready for the ceremony Father Neptune's scalie tribe lead by the ship's trumpeter marches to the Royal Court. Father Neptune then assumes the throne and the queen, who is usually a sailor in disguise takes her, or rather his, seat beside him. Then all passengers who are making their first trip across the Equator are assembled and one by one are brought before Neptune for sentence.

Neptune orders that the neophytes be given the third degree for the invasion of his realm. The third degree is performed by the doctor and the barber attached to the Court of Neptune. In the case of male passengers the initiate is subjected to a weird lot of happenings. Neptune's doctor announces that he will amputate an arm, and produces from a huge bag, saws, gimlets and other weapons, the sight of which produces spinal shivers. After he has gone through his performance the barber assumes charge, and the volunteer is subjected to a soap shampoo after which Father Neptune directs that he be hurled into the sea.

The candidate is then taken in hand by others of Neptune's Court and plunged into the swimming tank, which is filed with salt water. At the conclusion of the initiation all the candidates are again brought before Father Neptune and are given a diploma certifying that they have been made citizens of Neptune's realm. The trumpets again sound and Father Neptune takes his departure over the side of the ship.

This will be a busy season for Father Neptune aboard the Munson Line vessels plying to South America, for the reason that the Brazilian Centennial Exposition, which has just been opened in Rio de Janeiro, is attracting thousands of Americans.

PRESENT ROAD PATROL SYSTEM RETAINED BY SUPERVISORS FRIDAY

(Continued from Page 1.)

William Brucker of Sublette township was bitter in his views of the patrol system as it has been applied in his township. He charged that thistles eight feet high were growing along the sides of the highways and that as far as the patrol work in Sublette township was concerned, it was a failure and that the people in his part of the county have been slighted.

The finance committee presented a report with refernce to the investment of a large sum of money which has been secured through taxation for the tuberculosis sanitarium fund. At the morning session it was suggested that this sum, which exceeds $40,000 be invested in government bonds. The committee to whom the matter was referred reported favoring the deposit of the amount in the banks of the county instead of being invested in bonds and securities.

Supervisor Yenerich stated that there was an amount of $19,677 in the county treasury representing surplus earning of this office, which he desired to be transferred into the highway fund. His motion was unanimously adopted.

CHURCH NOTES.

AMBOY LUTHERAN CHURCH
Rev. Paul H. G. Bredow, Pastor
Sunday School at 9:30 a. m.

Divine worship with preaching at 10:30 a. m. Theme: It is impossible for a Christian to go through the world without being hated by the world!

We will have our annual Sunday School picnic Sunday in the Green River park. The whole congregation is cordially invited. Bring your lunch baskets!

Next Tuesday evening the Luther League will have their regular meeting.

The Ladies Aid will meet Thursday afternoon in the church parlors at the usual hour.

The Bhutanese women, in India, were probably the first to bob their hair

TAX LEVY FOR LEE COUNTY IS FIXED BY SUPERVISORS FRIDAY

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county clerk be directed to extend a tax on the proper valuation at the rate that will obtain the above amount not to exceed, however, the sum of fifty (50) cents on each one hundred dollars valuation. All of which is respectfully submitted.

Finance Committee.

Taxes levied for 1921, it was shown on the report amounted to $220,879.00, while for the present year the total levy totals $139,830.00, a reduction of $81,049.00.

The road and bridge committee presented a report in which they granted the relief prayed by Hamilton township amounting to $325 to be used in the construction of a bridge. The matter of assisting Willow Creek township in the building of a gravel road which was referred to the road and bridge committe, was tabled with no final action having been taken.

Want to Cut Printing.

The printing committee presented a report in which they allowed the sum of 15 cents per inch for the printing of the proceedings of the board for the next year. The report was hurriedly adopted and after its adoption a discussion arose. It was stated that the county had been paying 25 cents an inch for this printing, but at the last meeting, the amount was cut to 22 cents per inch. Members of the board and committee as well were frank in their admission that 15 cents was not sufficient and that the proceedings could not be printed for this amount. An amendment to the original motion was made in which the printing committee was empowered to act in the matter, having the proceedings printed for as small an amount as possible.

The memorial tablet committee presented their final report in which they recommended that the county clerk be instructed to issue an order in the sum of $4,500 to the Chicago Architectural Bronze memorial tablets which have been purchased. Their report was unanimously adopted. The board then adjourned until December 11, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon

COMMON BARBERRY IS HIT HARD BY STATE-WIDE DRIVE IN AUG.

3,108 Bushes Destroyed By State and Federal Officials.

Urbana, Ill.—The common barberry population of Illinois was reduced by 3,108 last month, according to a report just submitted to Washington by Gordon C. Curran, Federal leader of barberry eradication forces in the state.

This means, according to Mr. Curran, whose headquarters are at the College of Agriculture at Urbana, that there are now 3,108 fewer centers of black stem rust infection in the state than there were before.

Common barberry spreads the rust which annually takes a toll of millions of dollars worth of small grains. This year, rust losses probably were comparatively light, but last year rust destroyed 13,500,000 bushels of grain in Illinois.

Cook county had 1,433 of the bushes found in August. Of this number 1,085 were removed, making a total of 3,108 bushes destroyed in the state last month. Jo Daviess county was second to Cook, 850 having been found and removed. In Whiteside 375 were dug up, in Carroll 275, Ogle 175, DeKalb and Stark 100 each and from 1 to 30 in other places. Last spring these busnes destributed millions of black rust spores to neighboring fields of grain so that their removal is regarded as contributing importantly to the reduction of the future rust menace.

Barberry eradication has been in progress in Illinois since 1919. More work is being done this year than ever before owing to a Congressional appropriation of $350,000 of which $20,750 was apportioned to this state.

In ten northern counties every farm has been visited by federal field agents and a similar intensive survey now is in progress in Cook, Lee, Ogle and Whiteside. Barberries have been found in 66 counties, the number ranging from one or two to 10,000 in Kane, 11,000 in Du Page 18,000 in Cook and 31,500 in Lake. Since the campaign started 141,347 bushes have been found in Illinois, of which 127,568 have been removed.

BIRTHDAY OF STEWARD LADY IS CELEBRATED

Relatives of Mrs. Lucy Wagner Help Her Observe It.

Steward—The children and relatives of Mrs. Lucy Wagner gave her a surprise Saturday evening by going to her home and spending the evening, helping her to celebrate her birthday anniversary.

Walter Foster has been confined to his home this week with lumbago.

Morris Cook celebrated his birthday Sunday by entertaining relatives at dinner at his home.

Miss Viva Hemenway is attending school at DeKalb.

Donald Durin left here Monday for Culver, Ind., where he will attend school. His mother went as far as Chicago with him.

A. Coon received a telegram Saturday evening of the death of a sister near Rochester, Ind., who has been an invalid for several years.

Mrs. Ella Shearer has been an out of town visitor the past week.

Ben Olson is planning on spending the winter in Seattle, Wash.

Mrs. Thomas Hiland is making her home with her daughter, Mrs. Osborne Arnie for the present.

James Davis was a business visitor in Dixon Monday.

William Cratty has been visiting with his family.

A number of country children are attending the public schools here.

Mrs. Lucy Wagner visited friends in Scarboro Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Noys of Marengo spent a few days here with relatives last week.

Mrs. Ralph Simmons and daughter are visiting in Monroe Center at the home of Mrs. Roy Eichknier.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wise have been entertaining company from Iowa at their home this week.

Coroner Samuel J. Whetston was called to Dixon Monday to conduct an inquest and is also attending the meeting of the board of supervisors.

A number of our people attended the community picnic Tuesday in Rochelle.

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EX-PREACHER IS EXECUTIONER OF IOWA MURDERER

Iowa Pastor Did Not Sidestep Gruesome Duty Friday.

Fort Madison, Iowa, Sept. 15.—Eugene Weeks, convicted slayer of George Fosdick, Des Moines grocer, was hanged at the state penitentiary here at noon today.

Winfred E. Robb, sheriff and former army chaplain, sprung the trap which sent Weeks to his death.

Last night Weeks requested that Orrie Cross, his convicted accomplice, who is scheduled to be executed October 27, be saved from the gallows.

In an interview with Des Moines newspaper men and the sheriff last night, Weeks declared he was innocent of the murder, adding: "You can hang me, I don't mind; but you will find out some day that you bumped off the wrong man."

He repeated his declaration of innocence on the gallows today.

Tilden Will Meet Johnston in Final

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Philadelphia Pa., Sept. 16.—William T. Tilden II, of Philadelphia, American champion and William M. Johnston of San Francisco former title holder, today faced each other for the third time in a final round of a tournament for the lawn tennis singles championship of the United States. Early in the week Tilden was a slight favorite but Johnston's play has been so impressive that some experts lean slightly toward the Californian. Each has won the title twice.

"Big Bill" and "Little Bill" have met ten times in important tournaments and each has won five times.

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Society

Monday.

O. E. S. Parlor Club—Masonic Hall.

Ladies of G. A. R.—G. A. R. Hall at 7:30.

Tuesday.

American Legion Auxiliary—Legion rooms.

Woman's Auxiliary to Dixon Commandery, No. 21—Masonic Hall.

Baldwin Auxiliary—G. A. R. Hall.

Sunday.

Drill team L. O. O. M.—Moose Hall.

ADDITIONAL SOCIETY ON PAGE 2

The wind goes humming through the air
Like poetry unbound,
And when it comes to obstacles,
It simply goes around.
—R. McCann.

HELD PLEASANT REUNION AT J. Y. ZEIGLER HOME—

A more enjoyable or happy reunion of friends it would be difficult to record, than that which took place on Friday last at the pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Y. Zeigler, when Daytona, Florida, tourists to the number of eleven met for an old time visit.

Typical Florida weather was on hand to greet the crowd, but with the aid of cooling drinks, ices and electric fans the day was very comfortably spent. At the noon hour a sumptuous dinner was served—covers being laid for twelve. In the party were Mrs. Oakes, Mrs. Pitcher, Mrs. Robbins and two daughters, all of Dixon, Miss E. G. Crowell of Los Angeles, Cal., Mrs. L. E. March of Glen Ellyn, Ill., Mrs. Mattie Artz and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Burroughs of this city.

The afternoon was concluded at the home of Mrs. Artz, where at 5 o'clock farewells were said and the party broke up, all wishing for many happy returns of the day.—Ogle County Republican.

W. H. M. S. HELD MEETING—

The W. H. M. Society held a very profitable meeting at the M. E. parsonage on Thursday afternoon.

The attendance was large and renewed interest was shown for the work this year.

Mrs. A. D. George sang a very sweet solo, entitled "Grass and Roses." After the usual business Mrs. Worsley conducted the lesson for the afternoon, and she gave it in a very capable manner. She spoke of the orphans' homes, schools and hospitals, that have been opened and those that will be opened in the near future.

An abundance of flowers were brought to this meeting to be sent to the Marcy Home.

After the program for the afternoon dainty refreshments were served and all lingered for a social chat, feeling it was good to get together again.

CRISP LETTUCE WITH PEANUTS—

Wash a bunch or two of tender head lettuce, drain and dry thoroughly, arrange on individual plates and sprinkle with fresh crisp peanuts that have been crushed by rolling with the rolling pin until like coarse crumbs. Serve with a French dressing passed at the table or with a good boiled dressing. Adding the dressing to the lettuce, if it stands any length of time, wilts it and destroys its attractiveness.

IF YOU ARE WELL BRED—

You know that conversation is a social art and must be cultivated. Hence you do not constantly repress the speech of your children, but you teach them the value of conversation instead of prattle.

You converse with them as you would with older persons, drawing out their ideas and encouraging them to express themselves. Their ability to converse well will rob them of the self-consciousness that marks so many social failures.

MARRIAGE A LA MODE—

In Rumania girls begin at the age of 5 and 6 to work on their bridal finery and their "hope chests." The articles are put away as finished until such time as a suitor appears.

The suitor has the privilege of examining the trosseau, and if he does not consider it ample he may transfer his affections to more industrious maiden.

LUTHERAN BROTHERHOOD ELECTS OFFICERS—

The Brotherhood of St. Paul's Lutheran church held its first meeting since the summer vacation last evening in the church. Plans for the coming year's work were discussed. The election of officers for the ensuing year resulted as follows.

President—W. E. White.

Vice President—Alonzo Boyer, Sr.

Secretary—L. C. Johnson.

Treasurer—John Martenson.

AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY TO MEET—

The American Legion Auxiliary will meet Tuesday afternoon in Legion hall, the meeting to be called promptly at 2:30. The initation service will be read at this meeting. A good attendance of members is desired.

All those attending please take with them wash cloths or material for wash cloths to be sent to the Soldiers' Home for Tubercular patients at Maywood.

PASSED STATE BOARD EXAMINATION FOR NURSES—

Miss Vernie Hubbard, graduate of Michael Reese hospital, and who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. D. M. Hubbard, has received notice that she has passed the state board examination for nurses and is now a registered nurse.

LEFT FOR INGERSOL, CANADA, THURSDAY—

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Heckman and son left for Ingersol, Canada, Thursday evening by automobile to be guests of Mrs. George Ites and family, formerly of this city.

TO GIVE BENEFIT CARD PARTY—

A benefit card party will be held at the home of Mrs. Carrie Decker, 212 South Dement avenue Monday evening, Sept. 18, at 8 o'clock, the proceeds to go to the International Scholarship Fund being raised by the Woman's Relief Corps for the purpose of sending a "foreign born" to the American International College at Springfield, Mass., to educate him in civics and English, academic and college work.

At the base of the statue of the Goddess of Liberty in New York Harbor, there is a tablet placed there by the American people. It is the invitation of the American people to the foreign man to come to this land and make his home among us. Is it any wonder they have come and come by the millions? These men with their literature, music, science and industries? These men who are carrying on the greater part of our industries? The majority of the people who have come to our land are good people and susceptible to leadership and it is the ultimate purpose of this scholarship that after he is trained and has caught a vision of what our institutions stand for to send him out into the alien communities to educate and train his fellow men.

The Daughters of the American Revolution have a $5,000 scholarship for this worthy cause and the states from coast to coast are raising funds to carry on the work.

At the last National Convention held by the Woman's Relief Corps, a resolution was passed and the department officers of the various states of which Mrs. Carrie Decker is Senior Vice-President of the Department of Illinois have been requested to raise funds by means of which a National Scholarship of this nature can be established at the American International College at Springfield, Mass.

Remember Monday evening at 212 South Dement avenue.

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY OF ST. PAUL'S CHURCH—

The Woman's Missionary society of St. Paul's Lutheran church met at the church Thursday, Sept. 14.

The meeting was opened with a song, followed with prayer.

The Bible lesson, Gideon enlisting forces, was led by Mrs. J. H. Beam, Mrs. D. M. Hubbard and Mrs. William Teschendorff taking part. This was followed by a short inspiring talk by the pastor, Rev. L. W. Walter.

The lesson study, "Enlisting Our Forces" was in charge of Mrs. Walter.

The election of officers for the society took place, the following ladies being elected to office for the coming year:

President—Mrs. Otto Beier.

Vice President—Mrs. D. B. Uhl.

Recording Secretary—Mrs. Tobias Sweitzer.

Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. Wm. Teschendorff.

Treasurer—Mrs. W. H. Lenox.

The meeting closed with prayer by the president, Mrs. L. W. Walter.

A social hour was then enjoyed and delicious refreshments were served. The hostesses were Mesdames Ed. Dysart, E. H. Rickard, M. D. Hubbard, J. P. Burhenn and Miss Blondina Bishop.

MR. GROOTENDORST TO JOIN WIFE HERE—

A. M. Grootendorst, of Benton Harbor, Mich., who has been on a southern trip for the New York firm, with which he is associated, is expected to arrive in Dixon this evening and will be a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Brown, parents of Mrs. Grootendorst. Mrs. Grootendorst, who has been on a trip to Estes Park, Col. with her sister, Miss Ruth Brown, will arrive in Dixon this evening.

AUXILIARY TO DIXON COMMANDERY KNIGHTS TEMPLAR NO. 21—

The members of the Woman's Auxiliary to Dixon Commander, Knights Templar, No. 21, will meet Tuesday evening in Masonic hall. A large attendance is desired. Cards will be the amusement for the evening and refreshments will be served.

HAVE RETURNED FROM TRIP TO ESTES PARK, COLO.—

Mrs. A. M. Grootendorst and sister, Miss Ruth Brown, who have been enjoying a trip to Estes Park, Colo., are expected to arrive in Dixon this evening. Miss Brown will return to her work in Chicago next week.

ENTERTAINED LAST EVENING FOR MISS GRANSTAD—

"The Misses Katherine Gleim and Marie Hanson, delightfully entertained last evening a party of friends in honor of Miss Ella Gramstad who soon leaves this city."

MUSIC AT ST. PAUL'S CHURCH SUNDAY—

Earl Senneff will play a trombone solo Sunday morning at the services at St. Paul's Lutheran church. In the evening Misses Henrietta Florschuetz and Lucile Pearse will sing a duet.

HOME FROM THREE WEEKS VISIT IN BURLINGTON, IA.—

Mrs. S. D. Miner and daughter, Dorothy, have returned home from a visit of three weeks with Mrs. Miner's parents in Burlington, Ia.

BALDWIN AUXILIARY TO MEET TUESDAY—

The members of Baldwin Auxiliary, U. S. W. V. will meet Tuesday evening in G. A. R. hall. All members are requested to be present.

MISS CATHERINE HILL AND JOHN KELLEY MARRIED IN CHICAGO TODAY—

John Kelley, purchasing agent for the I. N. U. in this city, went to Chicago last evening to meet his fiancee, Miss Catherine Hill, who is returning from a visit at her home in Tomahawk Lake, Wis. Today they had planned to be married, and procured a license, but the details of the wedding are not known. They will return to Dixon in a few days and will spend their honeymoon up the river in a rustic cottage. Miss Hill was employed in the offices of the I. N. U. Co. in Dixon and is a very attractive young woman.

Mr. Kelley is a World War veteran, and a very popular and likeable young man, and the friends of both will hasten to extend sincere congratulations and best wishes.

EASTMAN-DARBY—

Miss Rachel Eastman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. I. Eastman, of this city, and Charles Darby, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Darby of Tampico, were united in marriage at Rockford Thursday evening. The bride is a high school graduate of the class of 1920. The bridegroom is an ex-service man and a member of the Toot Sweeters Orchestra. Both are most estimable young people and count their friends by their acquaintances.

After a wedding trip to Chicago, they will be at home to their many friends at the Biltmore Hotel.

MISS HECKMAN ACCEPTS POSITION IN DETROIT—

Miss Elsie Heckman has gone to Detroit, Mich., to accept a substitute position there.

DRILL TEAM TO MEET SUNDAY—

The drill team of the L. O. O. M. will meet Sunday afternoon in Moose hall at 2:30.

A. G. BRADDOCK A GUEST AT SAXMANN HOME—

A. G. Braddock, of Chicago, is a guest at the home of Doctors R. B. and H. E. Saxmann in this city. Mr. Braddock is a cousin of Dr. Harriet Saxmann.

MISS EDITH MISSMAN IS IMPROVING—

Miss Edith Missman, who has been quite ill is improving. She was greeting her friends down town yesterday.

BRIDGE SCORES FOR SALE—

Bridge scores for sale at The Evening Telegraph office. tf

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THE DIXON HIGH SCHOOL TELEGRAPH

Edited Weekly By the Students—All Newsy Events of School Reported By Staff of Pupils of Institution.

Week ending September Sixteenth, Nineteen Hundred Twenty-two.

Back we are to our old job of praising, tattling, describing, narrating and the compiling of a general outline of our school activities, for the benefit of our many readers.

Our staff this year is larger and better fitted to carry on the work, and we hope, in this way to make the Dixon High School Telegraph the biggest and best it has ever been or ever will be.

Our staff is composed of the following amateur journalists:

Gilman E. Calkins	Editor
Frances Pine	Reporter
Frances Hemminger	Reporter
Frieda Weinman	Reporter
Eunice Thompson	Reporter
Eugene Vest	Reporter
Dorothy Buzard	Reporter
Mugsy	Correspondent
Miss Ashton	Critic.

Nuff sed! Let's Go.

It's always fine weather
When we get together!
—The Students.

ORGANIZATIONS.

The Senior Class held its organization meeting Friday, Sept. 8th. Winifred Jones, acting president, called the meeting to order.

The class election was as follows:

President—Winifred Jones.

Vice President—Harry Kerz.

Secretary and Treasurer — Eunice Thompson.

Mr. Lancaster, our adviser, gave us a talk outlining the plans for the coming year.

The Joyce Kilmer Literary society held its first meeting of the year Tuesday, Sept. 12.

The election of officers was as follows:

President—Blanche Birdsong.

Vice President—Mildred Keller.

Secretary-Treasurer—Eunice Thompson.

Sergeant-at-Arms—Deming Hintz.

Miss Gullion was chosen as critic to assist Miss Ashton.

The Juniors who belonged to the Cinean Literary society last year were automatically transferred into the Joyce-Kilmer Literary socity.

The first program will probably be held either the week before or after Teachers' Institute.

At the first class meeting of the year, held Monday night, the Juniors elected Miss Velma Fay White class adviser, Paul Fry, president, Frederic Ball, vice president and Mary Hooker, secretary.

The Sophomore Class held their first meeting Wednesday evening at 3:30, at which the following officers were elected:

President—Edith Ayres.

Vice President—Harry Wickey.

Secretary-Treasurer—Dorothy Buzard.

Class Advisor—Miss Cleta White.

D. H. S. may have a French club this year as the students of that language are thinking seriously of forming one.

The Seniors held their Annual Staff election Thursday evening. The staff is as follows:

Editor-in-Chief—Charles Rosenthal.

Business Manager—Leslie Bremer.

Assistant Business Manager—Gilman Calkins.

Literary Editor—Frances Pine.

Organization Editor-Eunice Thompson.

Society Editor—Blanche Birdsong.

Athletic Editor—Harry Kerz.

Joke Editor—Howard Slothower.

Typists—Francis Hemminger, Ruth Johnson.

Calendar Editor—Frances O'Malley.

Art Editor—Elizabeth Rinehart.

Girl's Gym Class was organized Friday night.

The Freshmen have followed their elders and made wise selections in selecting their leaders for the year:

Lyle Boyer—President.

La Von Eberle—Vice President.

Rachael Nagle—Secretary-Treasurer.

Miss Marks—Adviser.

Miss Mason will organize the Girls' Glee club sometime next week.

STUDIES.

The Home Economics classes are larger this year than any other year. The Freshmen Class was so large that it is necessary to make two sections. The third year class numbers twenty-two much larger than last year's class. We ought to have a number of good cooks by the end of the year. Don't imagine that the mothers will be sorry.

It has been necessary to install four new typewriters in the commercial department this year. This department of the High school has grown steadily in the last two years. Several students from the North Side are taking advantage of the commercial opportunities offered at the South Side High School. The Commercial Arithmetic classes have been transferred to the commercial department this year where they logically belong with Miss Gullion in charge.

The French students are busy making faces. For further explanation—they're only trying to screw up their faces so that they can get the pronunciation.

Miss Guernsey has formed an Art Class for the 6th period Mondays and possibly 6th period Tuesdays. There will also be a class at the Red Brick school Mondays after school.

Elmer James in reciting in history remarked that the Pilgrims went to Ireland but didn't stay there because they didn't want their children to Dutch.

Miss Marks arranged her pupils alphabetically and Harold Hultz found his way beside Mary Hooker.

As the gentleman's name was called this remark was heard. "Lucky dog."

WANTED:—Information by the First Period American History Class. What is the second decade of the 20th Century; what is the U. S. of A.?

CLASS OF '22 NOTES.

Louis Allemand is working in Chicago this year and plans to enter college next year.

Margaret Allen has a splendid position at the Illinois Northern Utilities Co.

Alzina Ayers is clerking at Penny's.

Mildred Conley is back at High school taking a post graduate course in Home Economics.

Catherine Fanning is taking up a business course in a Chicago Business College.

Imogene Forrester is working in Delaven, Wis.

Clifford Gillman, the last we heard of him, is traveling in the West.

Frances Hanrahan has a stenographic position in Chicago.

Earl McWethy is working on a farm.

Frances Morris, Esther Near and George Horton are at home.

Frances Murphy is attending St. Mary's of the Woods.

Mary O'Malley has gone to St. Mary's of Notre Dame.

Gail Pine attended DeKalb Normal School this summer and is now teaching in the country.

Mary Prindaville is stenographer for Attorney Harris of Dixon.

Lee Rice planned to attend college this year but his health is such that it will be impossible for him to go this year.

Gernelle Rickey is attending Business College in St. Louis.

Florence Rossiter is taking a business course at Coppins'.

Lester Stackpole and Edward Quinn are working at the Shoe Factory; Joseph Hays at the Cement Plant; Leo Keenan at the Ice Cream Factory.

Lucile Bahen, Paul Newcomer and Forest Suter are attending Cornell College, Mount Vernon, Iowa.

The enrollment at Carthage College will be increased by Paul Bollman, Claude Currens, George Tuttle and Helen White.

Edwin Currens and Garland Waggoner will attend Eureka College.

GENERAL NEWS

Benz Bremer was seen while attending the Buster Brown Entertainment Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. Austin had the misfortune of losing a large bunch of keyes. He would appreciate it very much if the finder would return them to him.

Among the ex-seniors of our Alma Mater who visited were: Mildred Conley, Helen White, Alice Welch, Claude and Edwin Currans and Paul Bollman.

Misses Hazel Greer, Josephine Trottnow Edith Ayers and Nellie Suter attended the Buster Brown free show. Misses Greer and Trottnow were lucky enough to get souveniers.

Harold Manning, a Freshman had the misfortune of breaking his right arm last week end.

Orville Smith and Arthur Kofoed, both of the class of '21, visited D. H. S. before going to college. The former entered Cornell College and the latter Carthage College.

More visitors in our assembly Friday, Misses Esther Gitt, Agnes Slaine, Helen White, Paul Noakes and Lester Stackpole.

At last Ryni has come into his own since Arend Hoogenstyn came into the D. H. S. Arend is Rynie's double and we sincerely hope he inherits some of the latter's cleverness and brilliancy.

The classes were given their permanent seats in the study hall Tuesday morning.

Howard Long adorned a front seat Tuesday noon.

Harry Kerz's little nap was interrupted Tuesday when Mr. Bowers yelled, "This is no sleeping house."

JOKES

Mr. Bowers: "What color is frozen oxygen?"

Donald: "I never saw any."

Howard Slothower: "Rain is a compound."

Mr. Bowers: "Yes and what elements are decomposed from it?"

Howard: "Ice."

Howard Slothower to group seated around him in Study Hall: "Come on let's all take Commercial Law. It talks all about women."

Miss White in Home Economics: "You third year girls will have to keep your materials in the drawers because the Freshmen are so BIG—rather, I mean the class."

Dear Friends:

Well, well, isn't it great to be back in school. I'll say it is.

My, my, and haven't you people grown—except the Freshmen. Did you ever see such a big group of tiny tots before?

Well, I'm here at last; really, I was almost delayed at the last moment. I can't understand why such crowds get on at Nachusa and delay the train.

Nevertheless, Tuesday morning, per usual, I came to school. What, didn't you see me? That's queer. And I wore a bright green coat, too—I'm Irish you see. When I entered, the building looked so nice and fresh. The janitors must have worked mighty hard this year. Why even the clock's face was dusted.

You understand, it is a duty to pay respects in the office. The first member of the school staff I met was Mrs. Natress. Hasn't that lady the sunniest smile? After exchanging a few words of greeting I asked for I. B. and A. H.

"Mr. Potter is out placing pupils and regulating classes in our city," she told me.

"—and Mr. Lancaster?"

"In the halls, busy—"

"Placing Freshmen?"

"No, Seniors."

Just then Mr. Lancaster came in, in search of a new pencil for the other was worn to a mere stub.

He was as glad to see me as I was to see him—at least so he said.

Since A. H. seemed so busy, I decided to not ask questions about my friends but see for myself and make new friends among the Freshies.

(But wait! Why are you Freshmen looking so blank? Don't you remember seeing me in my bright green coat? Didn't the Irish in you notice me? Why, you poor dears. Don't you know me? Didn't you ever hear of me? No! How come? Why, I'm the most talked about character around school. I'm the best friend you will ever have. I just love the pupils and they, one and all, love me. I'm everywhere. I know every one of your secrets, when you study, how you study, when you bluff, even where you study or bluff! I know when you mind your mother and when you don't. I follow you to see your best girl and know what nights the spends with other fellows. I know when a Freshie girl gets a new hair net or a new pair of Russian boots. I know when you are angry or not. And I know whether you'll get a U-slip or whether you'll naturally flunk.

Now, since you know who I am you must like me 'cause you see I know whether you do or not. And you must always be good; don't chew gum in classes or powder your noses or fuss with your hair or annoy the girls 'cause I'll record it in my letters through the Telegraph. Don't tell the upper classmen you didn't know me, 'cause you will be the joke of the season.

Well, well—I strolled down the halls and such sights. Old acquaintances renewed, new ones formed. Then I attempted a stroll through the assembly. Such a pandemonium—! But it put a joy in my old heart to see my best friends so happy.

But my, my, didn't Rudolph make a home run! I never saw such a variety of ear rings. Some wore both hair ribbon and ear rings. And the Shiek rings! What would our Pilgrim Fathers say to such barbaric fashions? By the way, if it won't injure the feelings of my new Freshie girl friends and many of the upper classmen I'll put a list up on the bulletin board of those possessing an AUTOGRAPHED picture of Valentino—and maybe, if you'll be real good, his address.

Did you ever see so many bobbies in all your life? And such gay Paree clothes. And how they chatter back and forth. It ran something like this:

"Oh, hello, Sara, gee, I like your Dutch cut. Don't you think she looks stunning, Isabel?"

"Gee, what cute ear rings, Peggy, where did you get them, in a ten-cent store?"

"Gee, isn't Ellsmere cute, tho?"

"I just know Benz will make dates this year."

"Great Valentino, isn't that new kid the peachiest looker—?"

"Where did you go this summer?"

"What a cute dress and such adorable slippers. You didn't get them here, did you, Maggie?"

And so on and so forth and I noticed particularly that the girls drowned out the boys.

Now and then a Freshman would parade in—hair soaped and standing straight up, trousers rolled and and sox rolled down with "No-metal-touches-you" showing, coat, shirt and jazz bow on backwards, with a face looking like a Sells-Floto clown and a seven days' rain.

All of a sudden the gong sounded and in came Mr. Lancaster. Ed Coffey asked me to sit with him. Isn't Ed the nicest boy? I noticed the loss of the red neckwear and inquired about the subject.

"Wal," Ed drawled, "I guess an Irish green like your coat matches a blue shirt better."

I always knew Ed would own up to his Irish. By the way, I miss Leo and Ed Quinn. Where are they?

Why the general laughter? Now I see a new Keenan in to start trouble. I hear he is the most promising of the family.

Hush, Mr. Lancaster is introducing the teachers.

"For the benefit of the babies." (I think this came from Ed.)

"Practically all our old faculty except for two—Miss Marsden who is replaced by Mrs. Lazier and Mr. Stearns, whose place we filled with a very good looker in Mr. Austin—are back with us this year."

I was far from the Freshmen but near enough to hear one girl say, "I know I'll like him because he has a pretty shade of pink in his waist." (I thing she meant shirt waist.) Turning around to look at Mr. Austin's pink waist, I noticed Miss Klontz for the first time this year. Say, doesn't she look stunning in goggles? Oh, boy! She and Deming agree on the matter of spectacles.

Classes were called, so I spent my time visiting them. Aren't they crowded, tho? I believe if Carnegie had lived long enough to put up a new D. H. S. he would surely go to heaven for his good deeds in life.

In the afternoon school was dismissed but I had an invitation to come the next day.

Tuesday I came again. (Now, Freshmen, you surely remember me.) This is the day many notable things happened in the Dixon history of the year '23.)

1. I noticed Miss Gullion wore her diamond on the wrong hand.
2. Mrs. Lazier has an injured thumb.
3. Freshmen got lost.
4. Economics isn't a snap.
5. Hot weather is bad for school so early dismissals for the day.

The Dixon weather was so hot I decided to go to the mountains and cool off, then come back.

I came back just in time to get this "waste of time" in the paper. But this is what I have learned:

That Rosy and Rynie are a dangerous pair when seated in neighboring quarters.

That Harold was greatly disappointed when permanent seats were given.

That some Seniors missed the famous back seats. (I do faithfully hope that no Senior, whether he gets a back seat or not will take one in his studies and activities.

That the weather is colder, much to the delight of all, especially the girls, who can show off their new sweaters without roasting in them.

That Tot Hayes and Leroy Keenan haven't grown up into Juniors yet.

That Baby Kime eased his jaws for a while by placing his gum in a girl's hair.

That the freshies are beginning to find their tongues and exercise their vocal chords.

That another briliant Pine is distressed because he couldn't make a 5th perfect recitation in Mrs. White's class.

That another Keenen is in to start trouble.

That private taxis are again in use.

I intend to read this issue on my way to London to sell irrigation prospects, but I may be back in time to read the next one.

Cordially,

MUGSY.

P. S. In case I can help you in any way address me to D. H. S. Department, Dixon Evening Telegraph.

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WHY TEACHERS GO MAD

I wish to announce to my 3rd period assembly patrons that I will give a comical act every day with a change of program every week.

(Signed) Another Keenan.

Since Harriet Jacobs cant' bring her toys to school she does the next best thing. Bobbed hair does need combing and it's hard to resist the temptation of running the comb over the desk.

WE WONDER:

Who helps Marie with geometery.

Why Baby Kimes visits the assembly so often.

COURTING AND ESCORTING

Harriet's allowance will have to be increased during the football season. Gasoline is still expensive, and when one has to buy so much its quite expensive. And Harold doesn't like to have the other boys get on the car too. You know more than two is a crowd.

Lucille has her regular rides with Harry this year the same as usual. The other side pals enjoy it too—thanks to their generosity,

Vincent Slothower expects to cut figures in the lady's society this year due to the donning of long jeans. By the way Boots Forrester is Vincent's aid-de-camp in tormenting freshmen.

Ruth Johnson still enjoys the movies and a new Chevrolet with her "steady."

We understand many of the Sophomore boys are having palpitation of the heart over some Freshmen lassies.

We have noticed going home noons two very popular couples of the season including Misses Josephine Trottnow and Edith Ayres, Edward Holman and Kenyon Segner.

Misses Goldies and Marjorie Buzard and Katherine Geatchel are taken to school every day by Messrs. John Geatchel, driver, and Eddie Bollman, attendant.

John Egler, our new football captain, has been calling on Miss Beatty of late. Football banquet prospects are good.

Harold Coffey was seen driving a car with some girl friends around the town. How about it Dorothy, Miriam?

What is this we hear about Martha Stanley and Douglas Considine? Very good friends we hear.

Do the Freshmen fear the Sophomores? Nevertheless, their president Lyle Boyer was seen with two popular Sophomores, Misses Martha and Frances.

Byron is surely making good use of his coupe. We really believe Miss Dimick is enjoying herself.

Why not take your friends along, Helen? There is an empty seat in the Chevrolet.

Isn't he good looking, Harriet! Such an adorable picture and so big.

Long, blonde hair on one's sweater is mighty suspicious, Coffey.

To classes every day Miss Goodwin is taken by Mr. Jones.

Brief Summary of Last Night's News

By Associated Press Leased Wire

SAN FRANCISCO—Five members of a crew engaged in fumigating a Japanese liner were killed by gas fumes.

JEFERSON CITY MO.—J. F. B Daniel. 51, member of the Missouri constitutional convention, died suddenly.

MARTINSVILLE ILL—Edward L. Turner, Los Angeles attorney, and his bride were killed when their automobile was struck by a train.

MEXICO CITY—The chamber of deputies approved the New York agreement regarding payment of Mexico's national debt.

BENTON HARBOR MICH.—William Z. Foster was released on $10,000 bail pending preliminary hearing Sept. 26 on charges of criminal syndicalism.

OGDEN UTAH—William G. McAdoo said he was not a candidate for president in 1924 and that if he decides to become a candidate he will be the first to tell about it.

OF INTEREST TO MANY

If you wear a truss, supporter bandages, appliance, holder, lock or plaster for weak abdominal muscles or rupture, call at the Dixon Inn Tuesday, Sept. 19th, from 8 a. m. to 3 p. m. and consult free, Dr. M. H. Brown, the well known Hernia specialist and truss expert. 15-18

CARE OF EYES

You can do much to improve the beauty of your eyes if you take care of the lashes and brows. Brush them each night with an eyebrow brush and, if they are thin, use a suggestion of vaseline or olive oil.

A woman won the old fiddlers' contest held recently in St. Paul.

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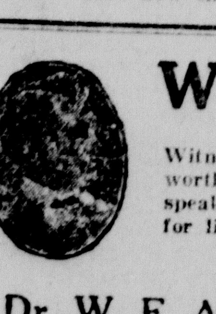
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ARE YOU A COLUMBUS?

Pecos, New Mexico, was a flourishing city nine centuries before Columbus discovered America. So say the scientists, headed by Dr. A. V. Kidder who are excavating the buried ruins of this ancient community.

Pecos in the year 600 is pictured as a walled city, housing a cultured, philosophical people with a democratic form of government. In a good many ways their civilization was highly advanced. Some of the houses were three stories high.

Apparently the people of Pecos "beat Columbus to it" by 1000 years in "discovering" America.

Columbus really arrived late in the day, if the claims of other countries are believed.

The Chinese insist that their Buddhist explorers visited America in the year 432 and that in 464 Hoei-schin's expedition of Chinese penetrated as far as San Blas, Mexico.

In 995 Bjarni, the Norwegian, was driven out of his course and sailed along what apparently was the eastern coast of Canada, in sight of land.

Eight years later Thorwald, the Scandinavian, is believed by some historians to have explored Long Island and the New England coast, being buried on the shore of Massachusetts Bay after being killed by Indians.

Others who left evidence, well worth considering, that they visited America ahead of Columbus, were Thorfinn of Iceland, Madoc of Wales and Nicolo Zeno.

After all, what difference does it really make, who discovered America first? The Aztecs already had a high type of civilization when the Spanish adventurers arrived with fire and sword.

As a matter of fact, America in this year 1922 is not more than 10 per cent discovered. Most of it is known geographically, but the real America—natural resources and potential powers—still awaits finding.

Each of us, whether in a big or small way, is an explorer, gradually discovering America. Every real American is a Columbus.

GERMAN MARKS

Now that German marks are cheaper than high-grade wall paper, speculators again are swinging to them in a big buying movement.

The obliging German government promises that there will be plenty for all. Beginning Oct. 1 the Reichsbank will print 4,000,000,000 paper marks a day.

For large investors it is rushing plates to print marks in denominations of 500,000 each, so that amateur speculators can carry around a few billions, to show their friends the mortgage they have secured on the future, without tiring their muscles or tearing out the linings of their coats.

On Sept. 1, German paper money in circulation totaled around 250,000,000,000 marks.

The presses have been turning out 2,600,000,000 new marks a day since then.

Presuming that the presses are idle on Sundays, to prevent them from melting or getting hot-boxes, about 315,000,000,000 paper marks will be in circulation Oct. 1 when the new presses get started with their output of 4,000,000,000 a day.

By the end of the year, some 600,000,000,000 marks will be on the market, so don't burst a blood vessed trying to get to the bargain counter.

Those 600,000,000,000 paper marks—if they could return to par, "as investors" hope—would be worth $142,500,000,000.

That is twice as much as Germany's national wealth before the war and about six times her present national wealth, making allowances for what has been taken from her by war.

The "easy mark," buying marks for a rise, admits that he never expects the mark to return to par, "but a rise, ever so slight, with me holding milions of them—" and so on.

As John Moody points out in the American Magazine, the Germans may not repudiate the mark, but the mark already has within a hair's breadth repudiated itself out of existence by attaining nearly absolute worthlessness.

The Germans, in their own country, are discarding the mark in business transaction and reverting to barter and the use of foreign currencies especially the American dollar.

The buyer whose appetite for marks is gluttonous need not worry because only 300,000,000,000 marks will be in circulation by the end of the year. Never forget, other years lies ahead.

The more the mark falls, the more Germany's profit on the deal. Eventually she gets all, like the "kitty" in poker.

DEATH

A man dies on an operating table in St. Bartholomew's hospital in London. Surgeons continue their cutting. They reach and begin to massage the pericardium, membrane enclosing the heart.

In half an hour the heart begins beating normally. The patient does not regain consciousness. But his heart continues beating 24 hours, when it stops forever.

This is not pulling a man back from the grave. But it is mighty close to it.

LIFE

Life is a down-and-up flow of energy from the sun. In a nutshell this is the "katergy-anergy" theory announced by Dr. F. C. Eve, eminent British scientist.

He makes many important new points. But, in the main, it is an old theory. For at least a generation, certain scientists have believed that all life on earth is merely a flow of energy from the sun and its dissipation back to its source. The ancient sun-worshipers had a similar notion.

Dr. Edward Baly, English chemist says we may some day have bottled sunshine. We already have it—coal.

BOOZE

Henry Ford says he will fire any employe with liquor on his breath, on his hip or in his cellar at home.

Ford bans booze because it recently has been causing many accidents in his Detroit plant. This seems like old times. John Barleycorn was doomed first as a Safety First measure. The sentence was approved by Supreme Judge Industrial Efficiency. That's the real reason liquor no longer can be sold—openly.

BIRD-MEN

The Booth-racer (navy BR airplane), which is entered for the Detroit aviation meet in October "draws up its feet like a bird." That is, the landing gear, wheels and all, during flight, are pulled up into the body of the machine to lessen air resistance.

In this instance, and in the gliding contests, you see flying swing back to imitation of birds. Logical, for the most perfect flier is the bird. And man cannot improve on nature.

MONEY

Bankers check up and find that 26,637,831 Americans have savings accounts, better than one for each family.

The savings total around $17,000,000,000, which suggests that the proverbial thrift of the French may lag behind ours.

American savings accounts are twice as much as the total amount of money in circulation, plus all our gold. And more billions are banked in commercial or checking accounts. Apparently each dollar shows up several times as a bank deposit. Frequently we deal with credit when we think we're handling the actual cash.

SPEED

Every dollar in the country is changing hands seven times a month. Bank clearings in August exceeded $30,000,000,000, or more than seven times as much as the total amount of money in circulation.

If you can hang onto a dollar four and a half days, you are doing better than the average.

HATREDS

French artists vote overwhelmingly to permit German and Austrian artists again to exhibit their paintings in Paris salons. Firmlin Gemier, France's leading actor-manager, says art is international. He welcomes German performers back to Paris.

Hatred is dying out in Europe, you reflect.

Maybe so—among the people. But not among politicians. French government tells the League of Nations that she cannot reduce her army, now 690,000. However, that is more fear than hatred, though the two are psychological twins.

LOCKED

Walter Newman, shell-shocked Canadian war veteran, sees a woman in an auto plunge over a cliff at Niagara Falls. The tragedy instantly restores his memory, which had been a blank.

Brain oddities like this make you wonder if dull people are alert and intelligent "underneath" in the subconscious.

All brains are potentially keen. Science some day will learn how to unlock the doors that imprison intelligence and keep it from asserting itself in earth-life.

A brain door is locked when a child says, sincerely, "I know the explanation but can't express it."

MONEY

Hypolite Chevalier arrested for vagrancy in Omaha, says the telegraph wire. If your memory is keen, you presently recall that he was "Lucky" Baldwin's famous jockey who cleaned up $100,000 on one race in Chicago in 1894.

Men rise fast in America. And when they fall, the descent is even more rapid. Money talks, but not so loudly as its absence.

Ah-ha- Just as we expected! Director of the Mint Scobey kept the presidential suite in the San Francisco hotel, while Duke and Duchess Helie de Talleyrand-Perigord had to take the next best. Scobey had the dollar sign on the manager.

New life insurance for the first half of this year totaled $3,143,00,000, as compared with $2,957,000,000 for the corresponding period of 1921. There are many signs that we need more life insurance this year.

Probably it is just one of the eccentricities of genius which leads Edison to carry around a plug of chewing tobacco which President Harding gave him and occasionally take a chew.

An ocean derby is projected for this summer among the steamers plying between New York and Southampton. It will be a knotty problem for the judges.

The soviet proposes either to sell the Russian crown jewels, valued at $500,000,000 or negotiate a loan on them. Crown jewels should bring the top prices.

In the United States more people lift themselves from poverty to fortune yearly than in any country in the world.

Ed Howe says that golf is ruining the nation. Ay mon, but hae ye e'er noticed what the nation is doin' to golf?

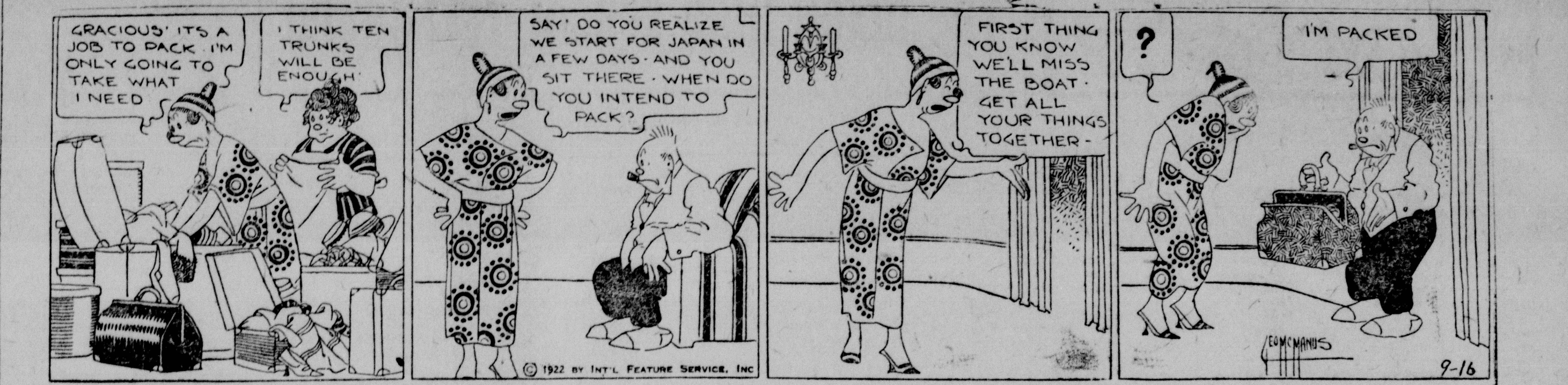
Orange face powder is the latest fad among the girls. A rare combination of nuts and fruit.

The automobile consists of many parts, that is, of many parts with money.

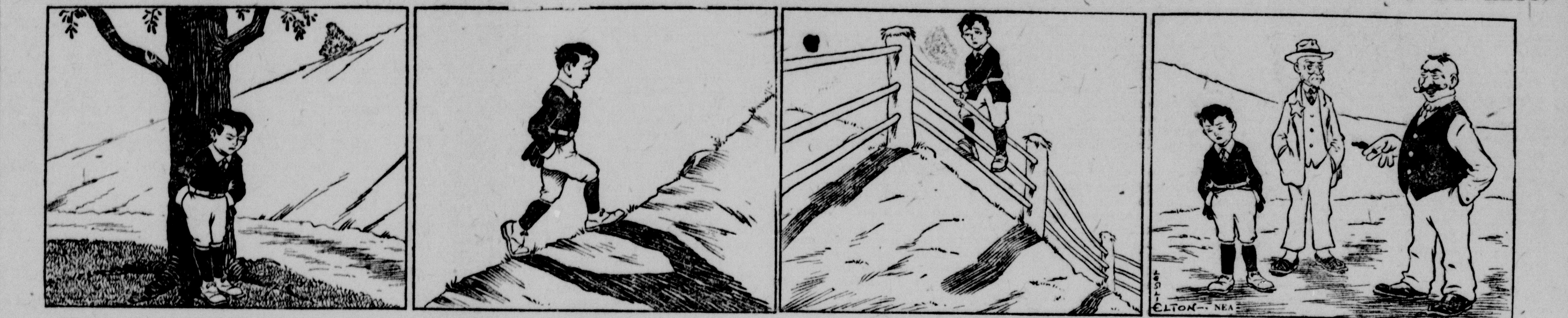
BRINGING UP FATHER

Reg. U. S. Pat. Office

BY GEORGE McMANUS



JACK DAW'S ADVENTURES (No. 54) BY ELTON

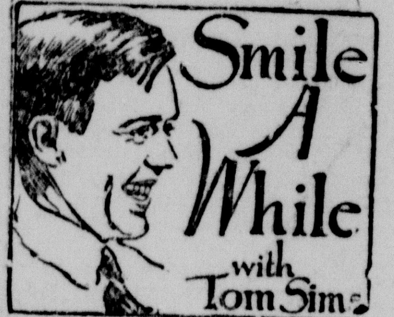


JACK FELT VERY MUCH DISCOURAGED AFTER WATCHING PEDRO LOPEZ STAMPEDE THE HORSES, AND THEN STEAL THE SHERIFF'S FAVORITE MOUNT. THE BOY DID NOT LIKE TO GO AND TELL THE SHERIFF WHAT HAD HAPPENED.

IT WAS NOT A PLEASANT TASK, BUT JACK KNEW IT WAS HIS DUTY TO REPORT TO THE SHERIFF AT ONCE. HOWEVER, THE LITTLE ADVENTURER DID NOT HURRY, BUT WENT SLOWLY UP THE HILL.

WHEN JACK REACHED THE HIGHEST PART OF THE HILL, HE COULD SEE ACROSS COUNTRY FOR MILES. AWAY OFF IN THE DISTANCE HE COULD SEE THE BANDIT AND THE HORSES DISAPPEAR IN A CLOUD OF DUST.

JACK AT LAST MET THE SHERIFF, BUT COULD ONLY STAND AND HANG HIS HEAD. IF HE HAD LOOKED UP HE WOULD HAVE SEEN THE SHERIFF AND RANCH FOREMAN SMILE AND WINK AT ONE ANOTHER. CONTINUED IN NEXT CHAPTER.



We have been expecting to see in the paper where some coal wagon driver absconded with a ton.

New York police have dangerous jobs. An actor tried to kiss one.

The woman who loves every hair on her husband's head hates every hair on his shoulder.

It's about equal. Poor dodge autos and rich dodge baby buggies.

Some girls dress for town as if they thought the place deserted.

Truth has it on fiction. The human tongue has only 11 muscles.

While driving autos or bargains it is safer to keep to the right.

When you see a man climbing the ladder to success you can bet a woman is holding it.

Slit sleeves look as if the dressmaker didn't have enough goods.

Since worry makes one bald, what a pity a man can't worry with his face instead of his head.

Beating up a burglar is safe compared to cussing out a waitress.

Better national anthem than "Keep the home fires burning" would be "Darling, I am growing cold."

Skirts are longer; but it is only six more months until March.

Health hint: If you get sleepy during church do not try to use a pillow of the church.

What makes an old maid madder than the harvest moon?

The last rose of summer is not here yet; but our Palm Beach suit looks like it.

A serious shortage of good times is reported. Don't waste any.

"One single word," says Al Apple "has 152 syllables." It is long enough to be married word.

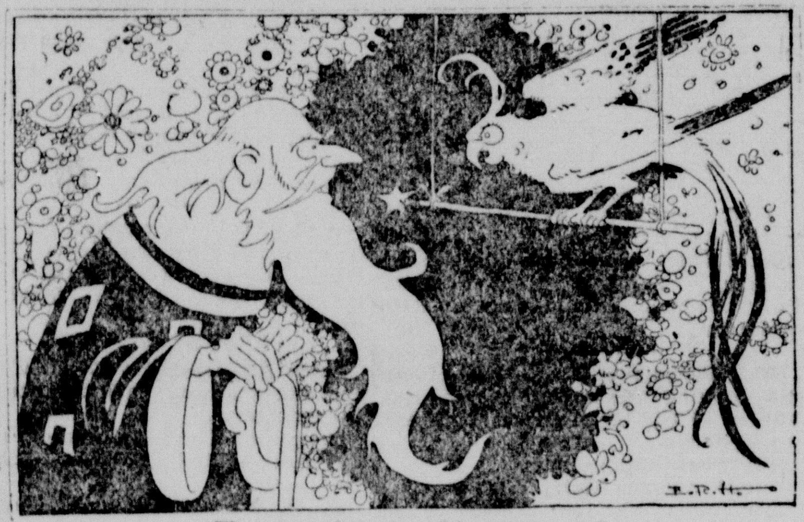
A woman putting up preserves tells us sugar prices are uncanny.

Three's a crowd; two's a petting party.

Who will temper the winter winds to the shorn consumer?

ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS
by Olive Roberts Barton

FLAP-DOODLE BECOMES A DONKEY.



The pretended wizard looked up slyly.

In marched Nancy and Nick to the Dingle Dell where Flap-Doodle, the mischievous fairy, was pretending that he was a wizard.

"Well, my dears," said the pretended wizard, rubbing his hands together and bowing and scraping until his long beard touched the ground, "What can I do to serve you?"

"Please, sir!" said Nancy, never dreaming that she was talking to Flap-Doodle himself, "we are hunting for the Fairy Queen's wand. Flap-Doodle stole it. Can you help us?"

"Sure," declared the pretend wizard. "I'll just call my pet donkey and he'll take you anywhere you wish to go. Flap-Doodle cannot be far away."

"Oh, we don't need a donkey," declared Nick. "We have our magic Green Shoes which will take us anywhere."

Flap-Doodle, or I should say, the pretend wizard, shook his head. "No good,' said he. "Your Green Shoes wouldn't know the way. If you don't go on Hee-Haw, you can't go at all. Hee-Haw is my donkey. That's his name."

"All right, thank you," said Nancy then. "We'll go. The Fairy Queen's wand has been lost for ever and ever so long, and we must hurry up and find it."

The pretend wizard looked up slyly at the stick his parrot was perched on. Little did the Twins think that it was the very thing they were looking for.

"Go inside, my dears," said the wizard, and when you see a nice little brown donkey, jump on and ride away."

No sooner were their backs turned than Flap-Doodle turned himself into a donkey and trotted up to his own front door.

(To Be Continued.)

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A THOUGHT FOR TODAY

My times are in Thy hand.—Psalm 31:15.

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Oh, there are some who want to get away from all their past; who, if they could, would fain begin all over again. But you must learn, you must let God teach you, that the only way to get rid of your past is to get a future out of it.—Phillips Brooks.

Opportunity awaits one in New York. Another man who went there a poor boy owes $18,000,000 now.

They are typewriting by radio. When perfected she can stay home and do her work at office.

Common Sense Ways to Keep Well.

OUTDOOR LIVING

BY DR. R. H. BISHOP.

Good ventilation in the home is a very important factor in connection with right living, but the air in the best ventilated home is not as good as regular outdoor air.

Those who spend much time in the open enjoy the best health.

It is a great advantage to spend the summer in camp, or living in the country as much as possible.

However, it is not always possible to choose one's own climate. After all, there is fresh air in any locality to be had for the taking.

The prejudice against damp air greatly exaggerates its evils. True, dryness of air is advantageous, but out-of-doors air, even though foggy and damp, is better than in-doors air.

Observations have shown that in schools conducted out-of-doors the pupils not only are more healthy but learn their lessons more readily. It has even been rumored that tuberculous children living in an outdoor school make more progress in their lessons than more normal children in a badly-ventilated school.

Wherever it is possible outdoor exercise should be given the preference over indoor exercise.

If you are deprived of good fresh air during the day, try at least to get it during the night. A third of our time is spent in bed.

The best-ventilated sleeping room is far inferior in healthfulness to an outdoor sleeping porch or open tent.

Living out of doors is prescribed as a remedy for persons suffering from certain diseases but it is also a means of keeping a well person well.

FOOLISH LAND

By Berton Braley

(After re-reading Alice in Wonder land and Davy and the Goblin.)

I'VE been on a journey with Davy and Alice
To the land of nonsensical fun.
I've seen the White Queen in her ludicrous palace;
In the hat of the Goblin I've spun.
I've met with the whale that was talking with Davy,
And the Rabbit that Alice pursued,
And the Mock-Turtle singing by seas that were wavy,
And the Duches—egregiously rude!

I'VE sipped my cold tea with the Doromous and Hatter,
I've met the White Knight in the wood,
I've heard Humpty-Dumpty's nonsensical chatter,
And found it exceedingly good.
With Davy I've visited Robinson Crusoe,
And Sinbad the Sailor as well,
I've heard all their stories told over anew, so
I've many gay stories to tell.

WITH Davy I've wandered, with Alice I've traveled
A whimsical, fanciful way,
I've seen miles of magical nonsense unraveled
In a land of fantastical play;
Afar from its dust and itshe world and its malice,
Once more I've been readi grime,
And I've had a wonderful time!
I've been far afield from ting of Davy and Alice

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LEARN A WORD EVERY DAY

TODAY'S word is—ACUMEN.

It's pronounced—a-kew-men, with the "a" short, as in "act," and accent on the second syllable.

It means—quickness of perception, penetration of mind, sharpness, sagacity, keenness, shrewdness, acuteness.

It comes from—Latin "acuere," to sharpen.

It's used like this—"While the Gallic people do not give Herr Stinnes much credit for disinterestedness of motive in evolving his plan for the rehabilitation of devastated France nevertheless, because of their respect for his business acumen, they are prepared to believe his scheme would work out all right in practice."

If she doesn't rouge, it is because she thinks discretion is the better part of pallor.

OUR BOARDING HOUSE BY AHERN

FRANKLIN GROVE WILL HAVE BIG PICNIC FOR COMMUNITY THURS.

All Unite to Make Community Affair Big and Happy Event.

Franklin Grove — The following were entertained Saturday evening at a wienie roast at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Currens Saturday evening, in honor of Harvey, Claude and Edwin Currens who will leave soon to take up their college work: Misses Gracia, Gladys and Goldia Graves, Mildred and Leora Huyett, Catherine Schafer, Messrs. Arthur and Harry Schafer, Theodore Burhenn and Herman Schafer. Out of town guests were Misses Velma and Cleta White of Dixon, and Ray Currens of Naperville.

Miss Vivian Richter of Chicago is visiting with her friend, Miss Mae Wolf.

Mrs. George Mattern was a Dixon visitor today.

Rev. and Mrs. MacPherson entertained with a 6 o'clock dinner Tuesday evening Miss Helen Hart of Ashton and Miss Virginia Spealman of this place. Miss Hart will enter college at Champagne the first of the week.

Messrs. Peterson, Mason, Paul Benesack, and Will Heisey of Elgin were week end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Wolf.

Rev. and Mrs. Homer Plough, Mr. Miller and Miss Sherrick of Lindwood were guests at the Emory Wolf home Sunday. Rev. Plough preached a fine sermon in the Brethren church Sunday evening.

Miss Anna Belle Burroughs of Cleveland, O., is visiting at the home of her aunt, Mrs. E. L. Lott.

Miss Elsie Lott returned home Friday evening from her trip through Wisconsin.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Senger and Miss Elsie Lott were in Rochelle on Monday visiting Mrs. George Peterman at the Rochelle hospital.

Mrs. George Peterman and infant son returned home from the Rochelle hospital yesterday.

Sunday evening while returning home from Rochelle Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Speck, and Mr. Speck's sister, Miss Mary Speck of Greencastle, Pa., who is visiting her brother here were in an auto accident. The Ford that they were driving was hit by a large touring car. Clyde had his left leg badly broken and somewhat mangled, Miss Speck was badly cut about the forehead, and Mrs. Speck escaped with but a few bruises. Mr. and Mrs. Speck who live just south of town have a lot of friends who are sympathizing with them at this time and are hopeful and trusting that Clyde will soon reciver.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Gross and son Kenneth were Dixon visitors yesterday.

A name from the list of teachers was omitted last week that of Miss Katherine Kesselring at Malta, Ill. Beg your pardon Katherine and wish you abundant success with your school teaching.

Miss Lucile Morris will attend school in Chicago.

Roy Shutters of Amboy was a visitor at the Weigle home Tuesday and Wednesday.

The picture show for next Tuesday evening under the auspices of the Library Board will be one of the best in the series of four, "Valley of Giants" featuring Walter Rird.

Mrs. Elizabeth Durkes will entertain the Priscilla club tomorrow afternoon.

F. C. Gross and Frank Kesselring were in Peoria the first of the week attending a meeting of the Knights Templars.

The Aid society of the Methodist church will meet with Mrs. Henry Cupp Thursday, Sept. 21.

Friends are receiving invitations to the 25th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Cash at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Kessler in Chicago, Sept. 16. Ben, as he is known by us all, was born and grow to young manhood at this place. He was united in marriage twenty-five years ago and moved to Chicago, which place has been his home until about a year ago when he moved back to the home of his childhood. To both Ben and his good wife are being extended hearty congratulations and best wishes for a long and happy wedded life.

The rain of Saturday evening didn't stop the band concert concert in our town. The crowd was here and the band arranged themselves on the steps in front of the Peterman store under the awning and gave a splendid concert. Franklin always aims to do as they advertise. Another band concert again Saturday and about 7 o'clock several representatives of the Gideons will hold a short service.

Mr. and Mrs. George Johnston returned last evening from an extended trip through Iowa, visiting several relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wagner and Mrs. David Weigle were Dixon visitors Wednesday

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Aultenburg of Ashton were guests Wednesday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Aultenburg.

A community picnic will be held on the camp grounds next Thursday, Sept. 21. A big time is in store for all. Franklin Grove will do her best to show everyone a good time. Bring your lunch baskets, free coffee and lemonade to all. From 10 o'clock until noon there will be just lots of fun, such as girls' basket ball game, horse she pitching contest, 1st prize $5; 2nd pdize $2; 50 yd. dash for boys under 15 years, 50c; girls' wheelbarrow race, 50c; men's two legged race $1; boys' potato race, 1st, 75c; 2nd, 50c. men's tug of war $1.00. Then the big picnic dinner. A good program beginning at 1:30. Music by the Franklin Grove band. Speaking and community singing. 3.00 big base ball game at school yard, town vs. country. This will be good. Prizes will be given oldest lady at picnic, $1; heaviest man at picnic 50c; person living longest within six miles of Franklin Grove, $1. All business houses will be closed at 10 o'clock.

Eighteen friends and neighbors gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Milke yesterday. The occasion was the 83rd birthday aniversary of Mrs. Fred Bell, mother of Mrs. Milke. They brought with them well filled baskets from which a lovely scramble dinner was served. Mrs. Bell received several gifts. Mrs. Bell has lived on a farm north of this place for many years and is well known throughout both Lee and Ogle counties. Her many friends are congratulating her upon having reached her 83rd birthday and wishing her many more years.

A primary meeting of the Sorosis club was held Tuesday afternoon at the home of the president Mrs. Chas. Kelley. The regular meetings of this club will begin the first Tuesday in August.

Mr. and Mrs. James Campbell of Rock Island were entertained recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Kelley. Mr. Campbell and Mrs. Kelley are cousins.

Mr. and Mrs. Ambler of Aurora were guests Monday at the home of Rev. and Mrs. McPharson and Tuesday they visited with Mrs. Ambler's daughter, Mrs. Arthur Roop, going from here yesterday to Dysart, Ia. whee they will visit relatives.

Mrs. Elizabeth Burhenn and daughter Mrs. Mary Shippert of Nachusa were guests at the home of Mrs. Will Budhenn today.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Eicholtz of Nachusa were Franklin visitors today.

Mrs. Ada Acuff of Kentucky is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Mary Riddlesbarger and her cousin, Mrs. Eli Hull. Mrs. Acuff will be remembered as Miss Ada Turney, who often visited here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Turney.

The Order of Gideons will have charge of the religious program in the various churches next Sunday, and before the band concert Saturday evening they will be given an opportunity to speak to our people. This order of traveling business men probably is doing as much for the advancement of the moral program as any other one agency of the present day, and all friends interested in a better and more efficient community life will find the messages of the day well worth while.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gleim are visiting relatives in Chicago.

Mrs. Hannah Conlon and daughters Misses Mae and Maude, Mrs. E. E. Miller and Mrs. James Conlon and daughter June attended the show in Dixon Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. James Conlon went to Chicago Wednesday morning for a few days' visit.

Mrs. Mary Bill Maiden who has been visiting in Portland, Ore., for several months, returned to her home at this place Monday morning.

Miss Emily Banker began her school work at the DeKalb Normal Monday morning. Besides taking the college course she will take a two years course in music.

Mrs. Blanche Royster and children have moved into the south part of the Earl Fish house.

Frank Vaughan of Amboy was a guest at the home of Dr. F. M. Banker over the week end.

ABE MARTIN

"I didn't git hardly any sleep at all last night on account o' burglars cursin' o'er a swollen dresser drawer," complained Mrs. Tilford Moots, this mornin'. "My, how th' summer has slipped away," sighed Mrs. Lib Pash, t'day, who's been keepin' tab on th' McCormicks.

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BENEFIT CARD PARTY

Will be held at the home of Mrs. Carrie Decker, 212 S. Dement Ave., Monday evening at 8 o'clock. Proceeds to go to the Internatoinal Scholarship Fund raised by the Woman's Relief Corps for the purpose of sending a "foreign born" to the American International College at Springfield, Mass. to educate him in civics and English, academic and college work. t1

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HOW THEY STAND

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

	W.	L.	Pct
New York	86	55	.610
St. Louis	86	56	.606
Detroit	75	68	.524
Chicago	71	71	.500
Cleveland	70	71	.496
Washington	62	76	.449
Philadelphia	57	82	.410
Boston	56	84	.400

Yesterday's Results.
Chicago 2; New York 1.
Detroit 8; Philadelphia 2.
Cleveland 6; Washington 5.
St. Louis 7; Boston 1.

Games Today.
Boston at Chicago.
Washington at Detroit.
Philadelphia at Cleveland.
New York at St. Louis.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	W.	L.	Pct
New York	84	53	.613
Pittsburgh	79	60	.568
St. Louis	76	63	.547
Cincinnati	75	64	.540
Chicago	72	65	.526
Brooklyn	68	70	.493
Philadelphia	49	86	.363
Boston	47	89	.346

Yesterday's Results.
New York 7; Chicago 6.
Boston 4; Pittsburgh 1.
Philadelphia 10; St. Louis 9.
Brooklyn 7; Cincinnati 2.

Games Today.
Chicago at Brooklyn (2).
Cincinnati at New York.
Pittsburgh at Philadelphia.
St. Louis at Boston.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

	W.	L.	Pct
St. Paul	95	54	.639
Minneapolis	82	67	550
Indianapolis	80	70	.533
Kansas City	80	71	.530
Milwaukee	76	76	.500
Louisville	73	79	.480
Toledo	59	92	.391
Columbus	57	93	.380

Yesterday's Results.
Minneapolis 8; Milwaukee 3.
Kansas City 9; St. Paul 2.
No others scheduled.

BASE HITS

CHICAGO, Sept. 16.—(By the Associated Press)—Separated by only a half game, the New York Yankees and St. Louis Browns today will open a "little world's series' 'that promises to have a decisive bearing on the outcome of the American League race. The Browns tightened the contest on the eve of the all important series by taking the last game from Boston 7-1 while the Yankees were stopped by the effective pitching of the White Sox youngster, Blankenship 2-1.

The westerners were expected to be strengthened for the big test by the return of their injured star, Geo. Sisler, who declared his determination to play regardless of his physician's orders. Urban Shocker was slated to do the hurling for the Browns while Bob Shawkey was Huggins' probable mound choice.

Giants Near Title

The New York Giants drew nearer to another championship by taking their seventh straight game and third in a row from Chicago, 7-6, while Pitsburgh lost to Boston, 4-1. With a lead of six full games, the Giants need win only eleven of their seventeen games to clinch the pennant, even if the Pirates should capture all fifteen of their contests.

Three home runs by Catcher Hencuit clouts by Rogers Hornsby of the cuti clouts by Rogers Hornsby of the Cardinals, marked a slugigng affray in which Philadelphia downed St. Louis 10-9. Henline duplicated a performance achieved by Ken Williams of the Browns in an early season game while Hornsby's thirty-sixth and thirty-seventh homers place him in a tie with Williams for the major league lead.

Detroit made a clean sweep of the series by taking the last game from the Philadelphia Athletics 8-2, while Metevier, a Cleveland recruit, outpitched Walter Johnson and defeated Washington 6-5.

Cadore pitched Brooklyn to victory over Cincinnati 7-2, giving the Dodgers the odd game of the series.

Ty Cobb of the Tigers, had a perfect day at bat against the Athletic's twirlers making three hits, one of which was a double, in three times at bat.

Casey Stengel, of the Giants, bagged three hits in three times at bat against the Cubs.

Bob Meusel made half of the four hits gathered by the New York Yankees off Ted Blankenship, the Texas cowboy pitcher of the White Sox, and one of the blows was a homer which prevented a shutout.

Col. Houston, one of the owners of the Yankees, paid Charles A. Comiskey,, White Sox owner, a social call during the series in Chicago, but it was said there was no significance attached to the meeting.

Pitchers Fred Fussel and Vic Keen have joined the Cubs. Fussell is a southpaw and played semi-pro ball in Denver. Keen was farmed to Wichita Falls, Texas, this season. He has won 14 games and lost 4 in the Texas League.

Babe Ruth swung at the ball with a vengeance in the final game against the White Sox. He did not get a hit. One of his drives was a high fly which almost hit the score board in center field. It was one of the longest hits ever made inside the park. Mostil ran back to make the catch and had to wait some time for the ball to come down because of its height. On another swing Ruth hit to Collihs, who caught the ball on the first bound, but the speed was so great that it almost knocked Collins over.

The Sox will elevate their city championship flag, assisted by United States marines.

SPORT BRIEFS

By Associated Press Leased Wire

OMAHA—Hal Mahone broke the track record at the Ak-Sar-Ben races by pacing the mile in 2:01, lowering the mark of Single G, two years ago by one quarter of a second.

BUFFALO N. Y.—Baby Holo was credited with a new world's record when she covered the 20 mile course at an average speed of 62.2 miles an hour in the international power boat regetta.

AURORA ILL—Mike Dundee won a popular decision over Midget Smith in 10 rounds.

MILWAUKEE — Pinkey Mitchell and Tommy O'Brien lightweights, were suspended by the state boxing commission pending a hearing Sept. 26 on their conduct in their recent bout.

CHANGE OF VOTING PLACE IN SIXTH PRECINCT

The voting place in the Sixth Precinct hereafter will be at Gerhard Frerich's tailor shop instead of the Public Supply Company.

DAVID SPENCER,
218t3 Supervisor Dixon Township

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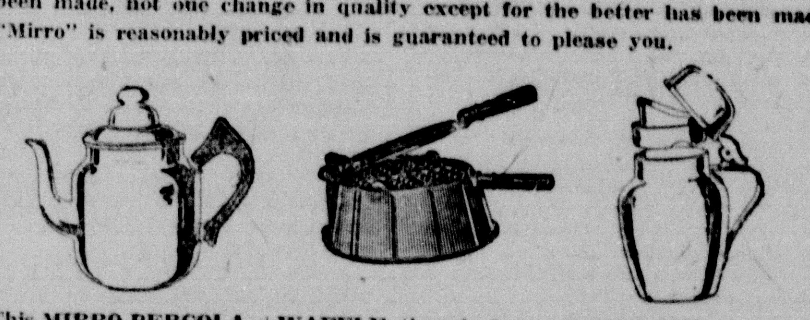

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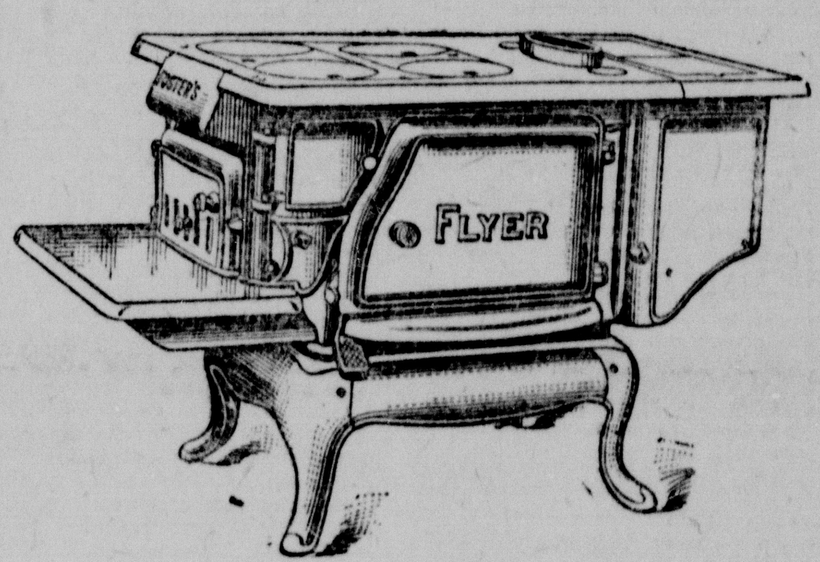

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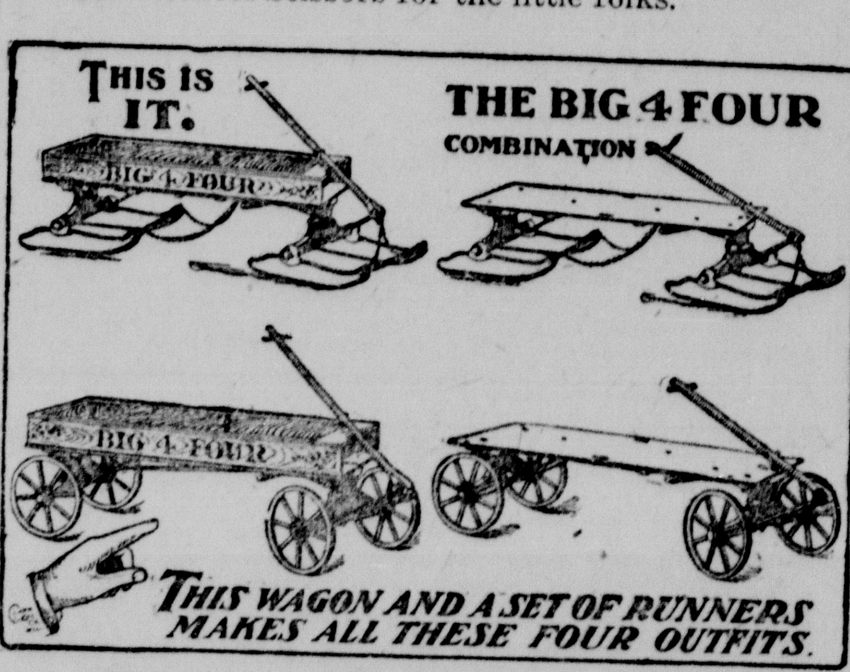

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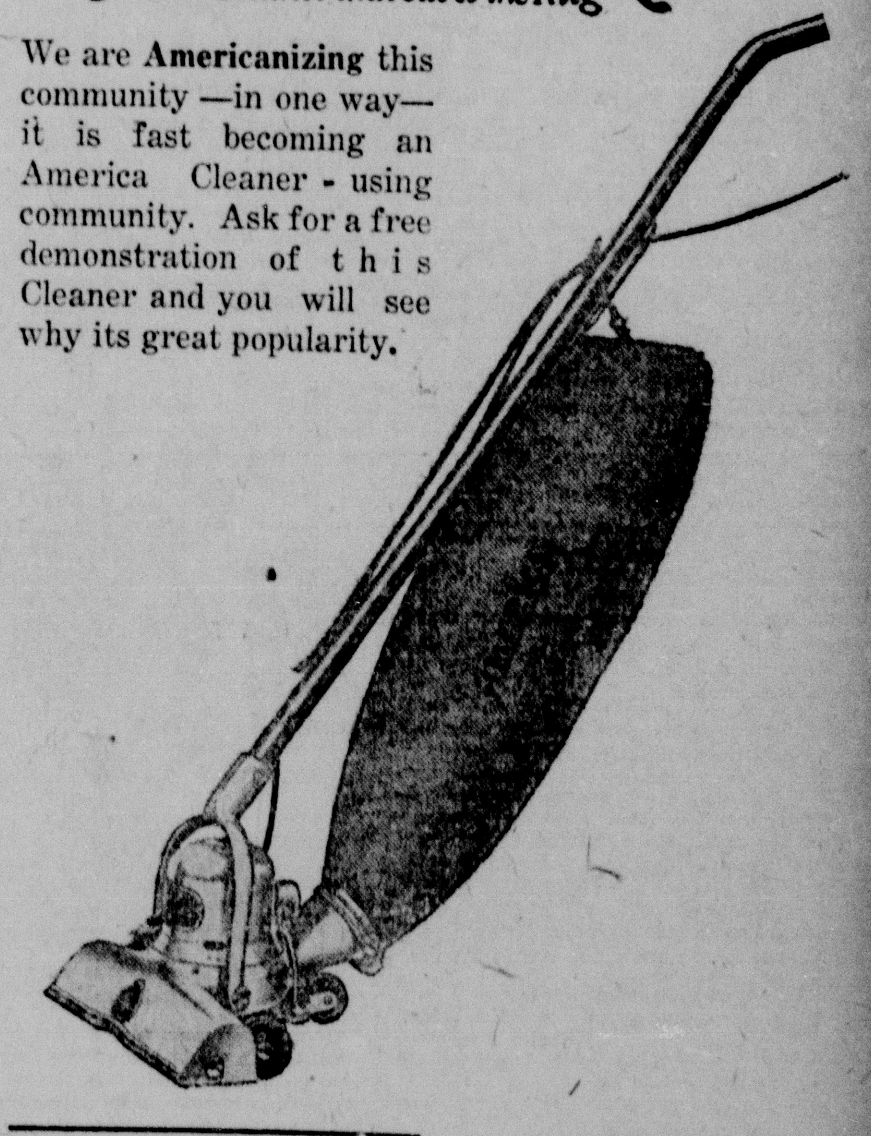

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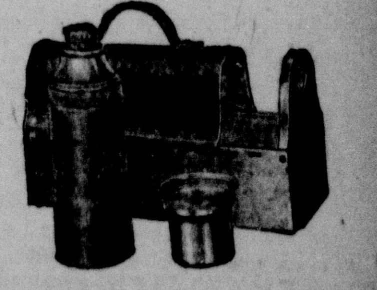

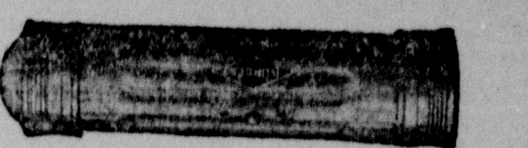

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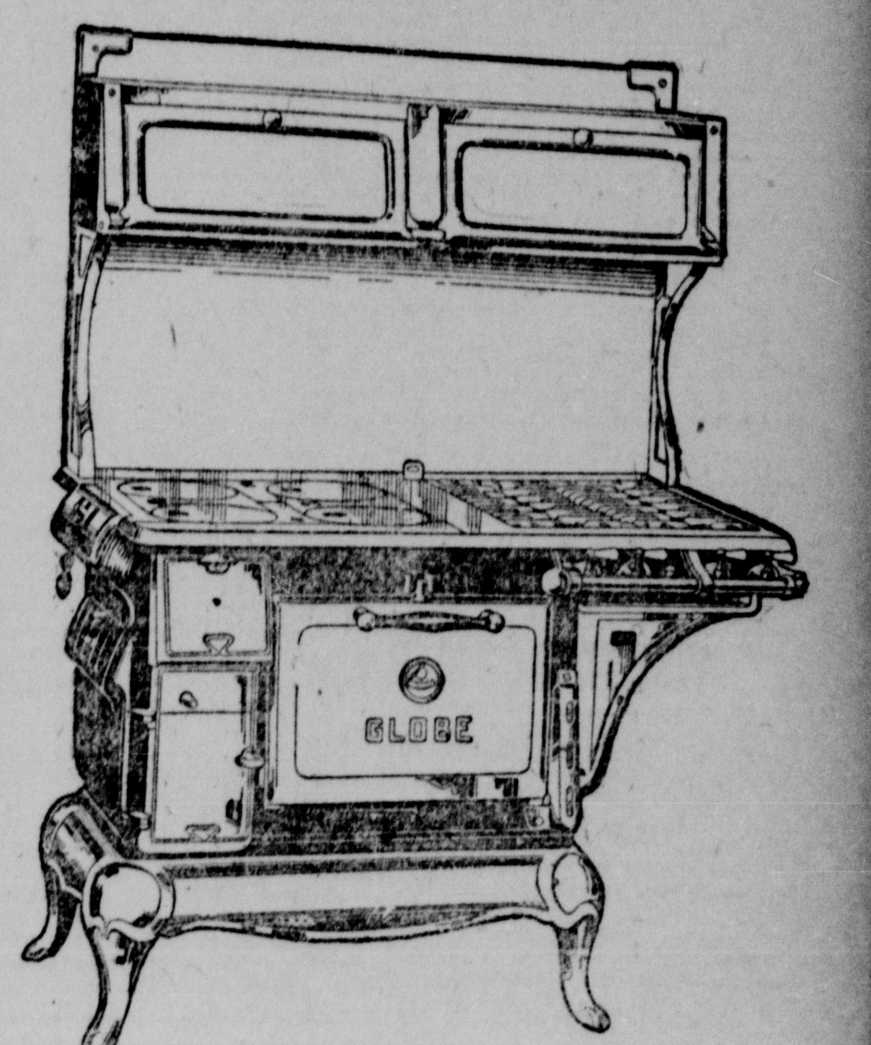

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When the English Secret Service sent the brilliant detective, who preferred to be known as ANDRE DUCHEMIN, to the south of France to avoid harm from the vengeful Bolsheviki, they unwittingly opened the way to more hazardous adventures.

First he had rescued from robbery by Apaches MME. DE SEVENIE and her guests, among whom was the beautiful EVE DE MONTALAIS, American widow of a French officer and possessor of a magnificent collection of jewels.

While Duchemin was dining at the chateau, a strange automobile party takes refuge from a storm. It consists of WHITAKER MONK; his secretary, PHINUIT; the latter's brother, JULES, who acts as chauffeur; and the COUNT AND COUNTESS DE LORNES.

Duchemin's suspicions are aroused when they cleverly inquire of Eve de Montalais where the jewels are kept in the chateau. Above all, Duchemin is dismayed when they speak of the "Lone Wolf," the famous master cracksman of earlier days. That night Duchemin is attacked again by the same Apache and severely wounded before being rescued by Eve de Montalais.

GO ON WITH THE STORY

CHAPTER VIII

Speaking of Love

In the course of two weeks or so Duchemin was able to navigate a wheeled chair, bask on the little balcony outside his bedchamber windows in the Chateau de Montalais, and even—strictly against orders—take experimental strolls.

The wound in his side still hurt like the very deuce at every ill-considered movement; and this constant reminder of outlaws and violence prompted Duchemin to urge Eve de Montalais to place her jewels in safe-keeping.

Eve de Montalais laughed the charming, low-keyed laugh of a happily diverted woman.

"I surrender at discretion: I will do as you wish. I will leave Louise to take care of madame ma mere for a few days while I journey to Paris—"

"Alone?"

"But naturally."

"You, a woman! travel alone to Paris with a treasure in jewels! Ah, no! I would rather steal the jewels myself, convey them to Paris, put them in safe keeping, and send you the receipt."

"What a lot of trouble monsieur would save me, if he would only be so kind as to do as he threatens."

"And how amusing if he were arrested en route," Duchemin supplemented with a wry smile.

"I am quite confident of your ability to elude the police, monsieur."

"Madame is too flattering; one is sure she is too wise to put so great a temptation in the way of any man."

"Listen, my friend." Eve de Montalais flicked away her cigaret and sat forward, elbows on knees, hands laced, her level gaze holding his. "It is true, our acquaintance is barely three weeks old; but the mask you hold between yourself and the world, it's pretty thin; and that does not concern it, has been lowered when you have talked with me; and I have had eyes to see what was revealed—"

"Ah, madame!"

"—the nature of a man of honor, monsieur, simple of heart and generous, as faithful as he is brave."

Eve had spoken impulsively, with warmth of feeling unrealized until too late. Now slow color mantled her cheeks. But her eyes remained steadfast, candid, unashamed. It was Duchemin who dropped his gaze, abashed.

With a troubled smile he said: "I would give much to be worthy of what you think of me, madame. And I would be a poor thing indeed if I failed to try to live up to your faith."

"You will not fail," she replied. "What you are, you were before my faith was, and will be afterward, when . . ."

She did not finish, but of a sudden recollected herself, lounged back in her chair, and laughed quietly, with humorous appeal to his sympathy.

"So, that is settled: I am not to be permitted to take my jewels to Paris alone. What then, monsieur?"

"I would suggest you write your bankers," said Duchemin seriously, "and request them to send you two trusted men—to guard you on the way—"

"But why? You have been so persistent about this matter, monsieur. Ever since that night when those curious people stopped here in the rain . . . Can it be that you suspect them of evil designs upon my trinkets?"

Duchemin shrugged. "Who knows, madame, what they were?"

"YES," SHE SAID, "WE SHALL BOTH HAVE MEMORIES."

"They were clever people, far more clever than poor provincials like us." She took a moment for thought. "But I am puzzled by their harping on the subject of—I think they called him the Lone Wolf. Now why should they do that?"

Duchemin was constrained to take refuge in another shrug. "Who knows?" he iterated. "If they were as clever as we assume, doubtless they were clever enough to have a motive even for that."

"He really existed, this Lone Wolf?"

"Assuredly, madame. For years he was the nightmare and the scourge of people of wealth in every capital of Europe."

"Why did they call him the Lone Wolf, do you know?"

"I believe some imaginative Parisian journalist fixed that sobriquet on him, in recognition of the theory upon which, apparently, he operated."

"And that was—?"

"That a criminal, at least a thief, to be successful must be absolutely anonymous and friendless; in which case nobody can betray him. As madame probably understands, criminals above a certain level of intelligence are seldom caught by the police except through the treachery of accomplices."

"Still, in the end—?"

"Oh, no, madame. The Lone Wolf was never caught. He simply ceased to be."

"I wonder why . . ."

"I believe because he fell in love and considered good faith with the object of his effections incompatible with a career of crime."

"So he gave up crime. How romantic! And the woman: did she appreciate the sacrifice?"

"While she lived, yes, madame. Or so they say. Unfortunately, she died."

"And then—?"

"So far as is known the converted enemy to Society did not backslide; the Lone Wolf never prowled again."

"An extraordinary story."

"But is not every story that has to do with the workings of the human soul? Even you—. A woman of your sort walling herself up in a wilderness, renouncing the world, renouncing life itself in its very heyday—!"

"I will explain." The sleekly coiffured brown head bent low over hands that played absently with their jewels. "To a woman of my sort, monsieur, life is not life without love. I lived once for a little time, then love was taken out of my life. When my sorrow had spent itself, I knew that I must find love again if I were to go on living. What was I to do? I know that love is not found through seeking. So I waited . . ."

"But this is not writing to my bankers, monsieur," she said in a changed but steady voice. "I must do that at once if I am to get the letter in today's post."

CHAPTER IX

The Blow From the Dark

In short, Monsieur Duchemin considered convalescence at the Chateau de Montalais one of the most agreeable of human estates.

But now an end. Tomorrow the detectives commissioned by Madame de Montalais's bankers would arrive. Tomorrow Eve would set out on her journey to Paris. Tomorrow Andre Duchemin must walk forth from the Chateau de Montalais and turn his back on all that was most dear to him in life.

On that last night, Eve smoked only one cigaret with Duchemin in the drawing room after dinner, then excused herself to wait on Madame de Sevenie and finish her packing. "I shall miss you, monsieur. The chateau will seem lonely when I return."

"And the world, madame," said Duchemin—"the world into which I must go—it, too, will seem a lonely place—a desert, haunted . . ."

"You will soon forget . . . Chateau de Montalais."

"Forget! when all I shall have will be my memories—!"

"Yes," she said, "we shall both have memories . . ." And suddenly the rich, deep voice quoted in English: "'Memories like almighty wine.'"

She offered to disengage her hand, but Duchemin tightened gently the pressure of his fingers, bowing over it. His lips touched her hand for a moment; then he released it. She went swiftly to the door, faltered, turned.

"We shall see each other in the morning—to say au revoir. With us, monsieur, it must never be adieu."

She was gone; but she had left Duchemin with a singing heart that would not let him sleep when he had gone to bed.

Till long after midnight he tossed restlessly, bedeviled alternately by melancholy and exhilaration.

He heard the clock strike two, and shortly after, in a fit of exasperation, lighted the candle, found his book, and fumbled vainly for a cigaret.

What greater folly could there be than to want a cigaret and do without one when there were plenty in the drawing room, to be had for the taking? He rose and left his chamber.

Shielding the candle flame with his hand, he gained the drawing room as noiselessly as any ghost.

The fire had died down till only embers glowed, faint under films of ash.

The cigarets were not where he had expected to find them, near one end of a certain table. Duchemin put down the candlestick and moved toward the other end, discovering the box he sought as soon as his back was turned to the light. In the same breath this last went out.

He stood for a moment transfixed in astonishment. There were no windows open, no draughts. An insane thing to happen to one, at such an hour, in such a place . . .

He turned back to relight the candle. It was gone.

(Continued in Our Next Issue.)

SMITHY AND BUTCHER SHOP AT BROOKLYN VISITED BY THIEF

Loot in Either Place of Village Was Not Very Large.

West Brooklyn—George F. Betz left by auto for his return trip to his home in Iowa Monday.

Some one paid a visit to the blacksmith shop and the butcher shop on Thursday evening and took several tools at the blacksmith shop and relieved the butcher shop of several pounds of sausage and other meats. Entrance to the places was made by breaking the padlocks.

Prosper Gander and Antone Sondgeroth are busy this week laying the foundation for the new residence on the Albert Jeanblanc farm which was destroyed by fire in the spring.

Henry A. Bernardin spent several days in the city the fore part of the week looking after the ordering of books for the schools.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Sondgeroth were up from Peterstown Friday and spent the day at the home of her father.

The band boys have been engaged to furnish music at the Mendota fair Thursday, the big day, and no doubt many of our pleasure seekers will follow.

Fred Schroeder and daughter drove up from Amboy Friday and visited old friends and acquaintances.

F. W. Meyer received and distributed a number of truckloads of fine peaches to customers Monday.

Alexander Henry was here from Rochelle bidding his friends farewell before leaving for a government training school in the west. Alex was one of the unfortunates who came out of the war disabled and is now being looked after by the government.

The following were guests at the home of Miss Ella Fassig during the Luther League convention which was held at the Brooklyn township Lutheran church over Saturday, Sunday and Monday: Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wink of Toluca, Ill., Miss Laura Meisel of Arlington; Messrs. Clarence and Robert Geuther of LaMoille; Erma Wirsing of Tonica; Messrs. Walter and Clarence Hoffman of Granville.

Leonard Blass was down from Dixon Wednesday and spent the day visiting with his many old friends and neighbors.

Conrad Sondgeroth is here from Aurora and is spending a week visiting at the home of his brother, Peter Sondgeroth and family.

Co. Supt. L. W. Miller of Dixon was down Tuesday and looked after business matters pertaining to his position.

Fred Gardner and mother, Mrs. Minnie Gardner left for Kansas City, Mo. Tuesday evening where they will make their home in the future with her son Conley who has secured a fine position as an auto mechanic.

Charles Holdren and Zina Fairchilds were down from Compton last Tuesday and closed the deal in which the former purchases the latter's six acre lot bounding the Melugin Grove cemetery on the east.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Barr and Mrs. Martin Donelley drove down from DeKalb Wednesday and Mr. Barr leased his farm to Rudolph Heiden while here.

John C. Henkel motored up from Mendota Tuesday and spent the day with his sons William and Jacob, Jr.

Miss Helen Dinges is acting in the capacity of teacher at the parochial school owing to the illness of Sister Marry Ida.

John and Walter Acker spent one day the fore part of the week at Mt. Morris arranging for Walter's schooling.

The local Court of Forresters held their annual election of officers at their club rooms Thursday evening.

Announcement has been made of the coming marriage of Miss Emily Jeanguenat, daughted of A. F. Jeanguenat of this city and Arthur Oester of Aurora. Mr. Oester is a former West Brooklyn boy and is at present employed in the Q depot at Aurora and will no doubt make a model husband. Miss Jeanguenat has resided in this community all her life and has been engaged as school teacher in the local school for the past four years.

An erroneous report has been circulater that band concerts have been discontinued in our town but the boys assure us they will give several more yet.

R. D. Gehant spent several days the forepart of the week in Moline on business pertaining to his implement business.

Joseph E. Vincent suffered a fractured left limb last Saturday morning when he fell from the roof of his home. Mr. Vincent was replacing the worn wooden shingles with new asbestos ones and the boards which he had nailed to the roof as foot rests gave way, letting him fall a distance of about 18 feet. The fracture is just below the hip and it will be some time before Joe will be able to be about again

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Wigum returned to their home at Aurora after a week's visit here on their vacation.

Mrs. Minnie Hildman and daughter Miss Lella are here from Rockford and are spending a few days visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Kate Tressler.

The teachers of the public school are considering engaging a lyceum course for the benefit of the school this winter.

OBITUARY

(Contributed)

Anna Blackburn was born at Harmon, Ill. on April 25, 1886 the daughter of Peter Blackburn and Ellen Morrissey Blackburn, and died at the Katherine Bethea Shaw Hospital in Dixon, Ill., on Sept. 9, 1922 at the age of 36 years, 4 months and 15 days.

Her illness extended over a period of several months but it was not until a month ago when she grew worse that she was removed to the hospital so that the best of care could be given her. The ever faithful Dr. Murphy did everything known to the medical profession, hoping that he might save her longer for her family but his efforts proved of no avail and she answered the call of the Angel of Death at 5:15 o'clock on last Saturday afternoon with the prayer on her lips: "Jesus, Mary and Joseph care for my baby."

The deceased was married to William J. Long at Harmon on Feb. 21 1906 and to this union were born one daughter, Dolores age 15 years, and three sons Hubert, age 9 years, Francis age 5 years and William Jr., age 13 months. Besides her husband and family she leaves to mourn her passing, her father, Peter Blackburn, Sr., of Harmon, six sisters, Mrs. Michael Finn, Mrs. John Dempsey, Mrs. Patrick O'Malley and Mrs. Edwin C. McCoy, all of Walton; Mrs. Oliver L. Gehant of West Brooklyn and Miss Gertrude Blackburn at home, and four brothers, John, Peter, Jr., Edward and Thomas Blackburn, all of Harmon.

Her girlhood days were spent in Harmon for it was not until after their marriage that the family moved to West Brooklyn. This was about 15 years ago. During her young years of residence in that vicinity she has made a host of friends by her kind ways and loving disposition. These people feel that one of their very best citizens has been taken away and their sympathy is joined with that of the good people of Harmon in being extended to the sorrowing relatives.

Funeral services were held from the home of her father near Harmon at 8:30 o'clock and at St. Flannen's church in Harmon at 9 o'clock Tuesday morning with burial in the Blackburn family lot in the Catholic Cemetery at that village beside the grave of her mother who preceded her in death 8 years ago. Father Krug of West Brooklyn officiated at the services, being assisted by Father Moore of Harmon and Father Flynn of Dixon. Solemn Requiem High Mass was celebrated for the repose of her soul followed by the usual funeral service of the Catholic church. The society of Christian Mothers and St. Anne's Altar Society of West Brooklyn attended in a body and escorted the remains of their deceased member to its last resting place. The church was not large enough to permit the friends and relatives in attendance to enter, so many being present. The funeral procession was nearly two miles in length. Nearly every one from West Brooklyn was in attendance, and many from Dixon and adjoining towns, and all were intermingled with those from Harmon in paying a last tribute to a kind friend and good mother.

Manager of Peoria Team Has Resigned

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Peoria, Ill., Sept. 15.—William R. Jackson ,manager of the Peoria Three-Eye League club today tendered his resignation after five years of successful management here. His teams finished first in 1916 and 1917, fifth in 1920, fourth in 1921, and third in the season just closed. Jackson came to Peoria from the Chicago Federal League club. He was tremendously popular here.

Mrs. Keach Tells How She Got to Know Rat-Snap.

'Have always feared rats. Lately noticed many on my farm. A neighbor said he just got rid of droves with RAT-SNAP. This started me thinking. Tried RAT-SNAP myself. It killed 17 and scared the rest away. RAT-SNAP comes in three sizes, 35c, 65c, $1.25. Sold and guaranteed by Public Drug & Book Co., and E. N. Howell Hardware Co.—Adv.

Rock Island Seeks to Float Big Loan

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Washington, Sept. 15.—The Chicago Rock Island & Pacific railroad applied today to the Interstate Commerce Commission for authority to sell first and refunding four per cent gold bonds in the amount of $2,095,000 at 85 and interest, the proceeds to be used for general corporate purposes.

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BY MICHAEL FIASCHETTI.

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The fire of vengeance burns long in the heart of some Italians.

Sometimes it flickers, but it rarely burns out.

Some years ago an uncle and nephew were killed in a feud in the old country. The murderer escaped. But a brother of one of the slain men swore that he would avenge their deaths.

He traced the criminal to this country.

Together with two friends, he connived to kill him. But the opportunity did not present itself readily.

So the leader of the gang ordered Bartola Fontano to do it.

Fontano was a close friend of the doomed man.

Under fear of death, he promised to carry out the order.

But he tried to warn the victim.

The gang became suspicious.

Afraid that perhaps his friend might turn the tables on him. Fontano decided to execute his order. He took him on a hunting trip, shot him in the back, weighed his body down with stones and threw it into the Shrewsbury River in New Jersey.

Nine days later the body was fished out.

Fontano didn't go back to New York. Instead, he hung around Asbury City.

Being a comparative newcomer, the police there spotted him easily.

When arrested he confessed. But the hard work came in running down the rest of the gang.

Acting under our instructions and surveillance, Fontano, whose arrest had been kept secret, called at the gang headquarters in Brooklyn to arrange a getaway. He said that the police were after him.

The leader of the gang told him not to worry. He would fix it all up if he would meet him at the Grand Central Station that afternoon.

He fixed it all right.

We arrested the leader in the terminal.

At the same time, another of our men was arresting the second instigator of the Shrewsbury crime at his home.

The third man was rounded up in Long Island.

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But such gangs are the exception. They scarcely ever exist.

In the popular mind the Blackhand and Camorra mean international organizations of highly trained criminals who spent their time writing threatening letters or throwing bombs!

Capitalizing this general conception, small-fry crooks have been able to spread a terrorism that has brought

HE THREW THE BODY INTO THE RIVER.

the fear of death in many hearts and the jingle of money in many of their pockets.

There is no such thing as an organized Blackhand or Camorra!

It is all a bugaboo.

But there are some arch criminals who make a business of using these terms for their own extortions—

And they make the life of a detective really interesting.

Can what you can and save the surplus. See us for choice fruits and vegetables. Sinclair's Peoria Ave. Fruit Store. 12 14 16

Injunction Won't Block "Tag Day"

Chicago, Sept. 14.—A proposed tag day to raise money for the relief of suffering families of rail strikers in Chicago and other cities will not violate the restraining order against the strikers, the government announced in Judge James H. Wilkerson's court this afternoon.

The court declared, when the defense raised the question, that he remembered nothing in the order to prevent the tag day and Blackburn Esterline, assistant solicitor general and J. W. H. Crimm, assistant attorney general, told the defense to go ahead with the plan if they wished to.

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This is some big rat tale, but, nevertheless, it is so. Just thought would write to let you know that your rat paste is good.
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ARRIVES FOR VISIT, GETS WORD OF DEATH OF HUSBAND IN MONT.

Former Ohio Man Died Suddenly; Wife Was Visiting Friends.

OHIO, ILL.—Robert Anderson of Dixon visited relatives here last week.

Mrs. M. J. Dolan returned home Friday evening from an extended visit with relatives in the west.

Mrs. Frank Shawl arrived here Saturday evening for a visit with relatives and friends and on the following Monday morning she received a telegram conveying the sad news that her husband had passed away at their home in Hobson, Mont. Mr. Shawl and family were residents of this place until a few years ago when they moved to Montana. The deceased is survived by his widow, three daughters, two sons, his mother ,two sisters and two brothers who have the sympathy of many friends in their bereavement. Funeral arrangements had not been made at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schmaus of Berwyn and E. T. Schmaus of Kewanee were guests last week at the home of their mother, Mrs. F. B. Schmaus.

Robert Johnson, who was a patient for two weeks in the Perry Memorial hospital at Princeton, was able to return Thursday to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Jackson in this city and is steadily regaining his health.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Swain and Mrs. M. H. Libby spent the first of the week in Peoria.

The Good Housekeeper's club met last Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Mable Ruff. Mrs. Andrew Spencer and Mrs. Harriet Neis assisted with the demonstrations.

Mrs. C. L. Keeton and two little daughters returned to their home near Bradford Monday after a two weeks' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Jackson.

Mrs. Anna Spencer is visiting in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Leo Bass near Walnut.

M. H. Libby motored to Milwaukee, Wis., Monday on a business trip.

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Shows Ground for Believing Entombed Men Still Live.

Jackson, Calif., Sept. 15.—(By the Associated Press)—Dr. L. H. Duschak, consulting chemical engineer of the California Industrial Accident Commission, today issued a signed statement in which he predicted that the forty-seven miners entombed for 18 days in the Argonaut mine would be found alive.

"There is ground for assuming that the men under ground were not overcome by the poisonous gases from the fire zone and that these gases are not now passing through the parts of the mine in which the men sought refuge," Dr. Duschak'es statement said.

"Since the memorandum of Sept. 7," he continued, "particular attention has been given to the sampling of gas coming up from the mine through the raise at the 2400 foot level. Samples taken at this point are undiluted by surface anr and represent a mixture of gas from the fire zone and air from various underground soruces which mingle at the lower levels and come up through the series of raises to the 2400 foot level. Since Sept. 7 there has been a gradual diminution in the amount of carbon dioxide and carbon monoxide in this gas and an increase in oxygen."

Impersonation Charge Filed Against Seven

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Danville, Ill., Sept. 15.—Seven West Frankfort citizens were arraigned in United States District court late yesterday on charges of impersonating government officers. All pleaded not guilty and were released on $10,000 bond and their cases set for trial, Sept. 25.

The men were Oscar Moonahan, a constable; William Beam, chief of police of West Frankfort; James Myers, Barney Rotramel, constables; Robert Grey, George Schoolcraft, justices of the peace, and Lum Schoolcraft, a constable.

It is alleged the men represented themselves as federal prohibition agents and by means of fake search warrants entered homes, arresting citizens for having liquor and then releasing them on payment of sums ranging from $5 to $500.

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BY ALLMAN

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Jefferson City, Mo., Sept. 15.—(By the Associated Press)—Several months will be required before the railroads of Missouri can recover from the effects of the shopmen's strike, according to Henry Miller, President of the St. Louis Terminal Railway Association, in his testimony given at a hearing before the state board of equalization here yesterday.

"We cannot catch up with the work of repairing engines and cars before the beginning of the year," said Mr. Miller, "if it can be done before that time."

Expect Enrollment at Millikin to Be Larger Than Ever

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Decatur, Ill., Sept. 15.—All enrollment records at Millikin University except for the S. A. T. C. year are expected to be broken this year as enrollment to date is above previous marks more than 500 being enrolled.

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Mr. Hodge, Former Service Man, Assumes Post.

Grand Detour—Mr. Hodge of Daysville is our teacher this year. He has only been out of service a few months, formerly being an aviator in the U. S. army.

Fred Hill of Dixon has purchased a lot in our village and is having a well put down. He plans to build a bungalow and garage for a summer home. Welcome to our village.

Ambrose Strouse is building a new cattle barn for John Hetler, Sr.

Mrs. James Wiley is in Oregon with her daughter who is very sick.

Mrs. Mary Flick is visiting in Dixon for a few days.

Albert Glessner whose car was stolen in Dixon several weeks ago has purchased another machine.

Solomon Senn's two brothers and a sister-in-law from Indiana have been here on a visit.

G. W. Veith was in Oregon Tuesday and Wednesday of this week attending the board of supervisors meeting.

Will Shoemaker, brother of John Shoemaker, is here on a visit of a few days.

John Shoemaker and Mrs. Ella Davis, his daughter, visited in Oregon Wednesday.

Ted O'Dair the river road patrolman is doing fine work this season.

The river road is going to lose two of its farmers in the spring. Walter Avey and Clyde Long, both are planning on moving.

Mrs. Bert Smice is on the sick list.

J. D. Portner, Cyrus Toms, wife and baby have gone back east by auto to visit a couple of weeks.

Eugene Sheffield and wife, Dr. Pankhurst and wife attended the official picnic in Oregon last week.

MONDAY AND TUESDAY

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Basement is Planned; Some Material for Work Donated.

Harmon—The M. E. church building committee have plans under way for the raising of the old church building and the construction of a new and high foundation so that a furnace may be installed. About 50 yards of gravel have been hauled from the dredge ditch running through the James Frank farm west of the village. Mr. Franks has donated this gravel for the building purposes which has been a saving to the committee of about $100. F. J. Whitman is using his large tractor for the hauling of the gravel out of the ditch and farmers are donating their services of hauling.

Mrs. George Ross and Miss Esther Ross who have been at Robison for the past few weeks have returned to their home in Harmon. Esther expects to leave soon for Chiacgo where she will take a course of study at the Lewis Institute.

Mrs. James McCormick and Miss Anna McCormick of Rockford have gone to Chicago for over the week end to visit at the homeo f Mrs. Agnes Boss.

James Ryan who has been a guest at the D. D. Leonard home returned to Chicago the latter part of the week.

Mrs. Mary King of Peoria will make her home with her daughter Mrs. Anna Swab for the fall and winter months.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Hettinger of Dixon were visiting in Harmon Wednesday.

Mrs. Margaret Burns has gone to Earlville to care for a sick sister.

Mrs. Wm. Dumphy spent Thursday and Friday with the Misses Hazel and Ruth Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Larson and two daughters Esther and Mildred have returned recently from an extended trip to the southern part of the state and Missouri.

Miss Helen Smith who is a student at the Amboy high school this year spent Sunday at home.

Miss Rosie Powers spent the week end at home.

Roy Nelson of DeKalb and a student at the University of Illinois spent Tuesday with Miss Viola Smith.

Miss Mary Kent has once more resumed her duties at the Harmon exchange.

Mrs. Roy Halderman and baby of Moline are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thompson.

Mrs. Mich is entertaining her granddaughters of Morrison.

A message has been received from Larry Garland and daughter, Mrs. Winnie Kugler that they are now well on their way to Denver, Colo. The trip is being made in company with Mr. and Mrs. William Morris of Denver and in the Morris car.

Mr. and Mrs. George Marquette and sons of Dubuque were over Sunday guests at the W. H. Kugler home.

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